Dear Ray,

Remember all the hard tests we had in bookkeeping. Also the Spencer Practice set. What fun. Don't work too hard at Woolworths, and best of luck to a swell guy.

Dennie Davidson
"54"

Best wishes to a wonderful boy. Betty Bissenbeck

Gladys Reiling
F.W.W.
"54"

Best of luck to a swell boy.

Phyllis Goddard

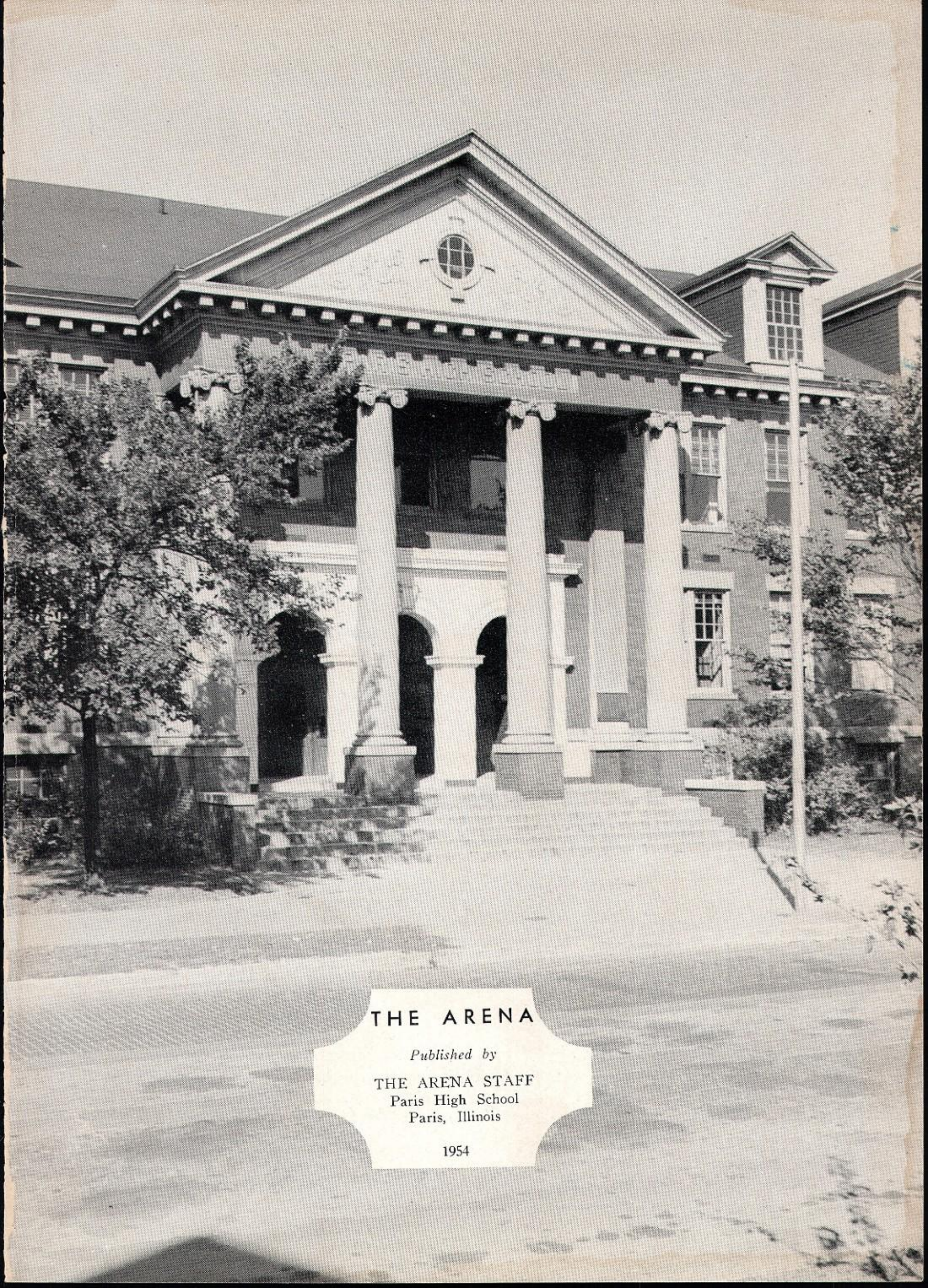
Gladys Thompson
Good luck.

"Hope you like us here at Woolworths"
Janice Lauderdale
5/25/54

Best of luck from New York.
"Marjorie Kupke"

Florence Miller
Lots of luck

Lots of good luck in your new job.
Lisa Ashley



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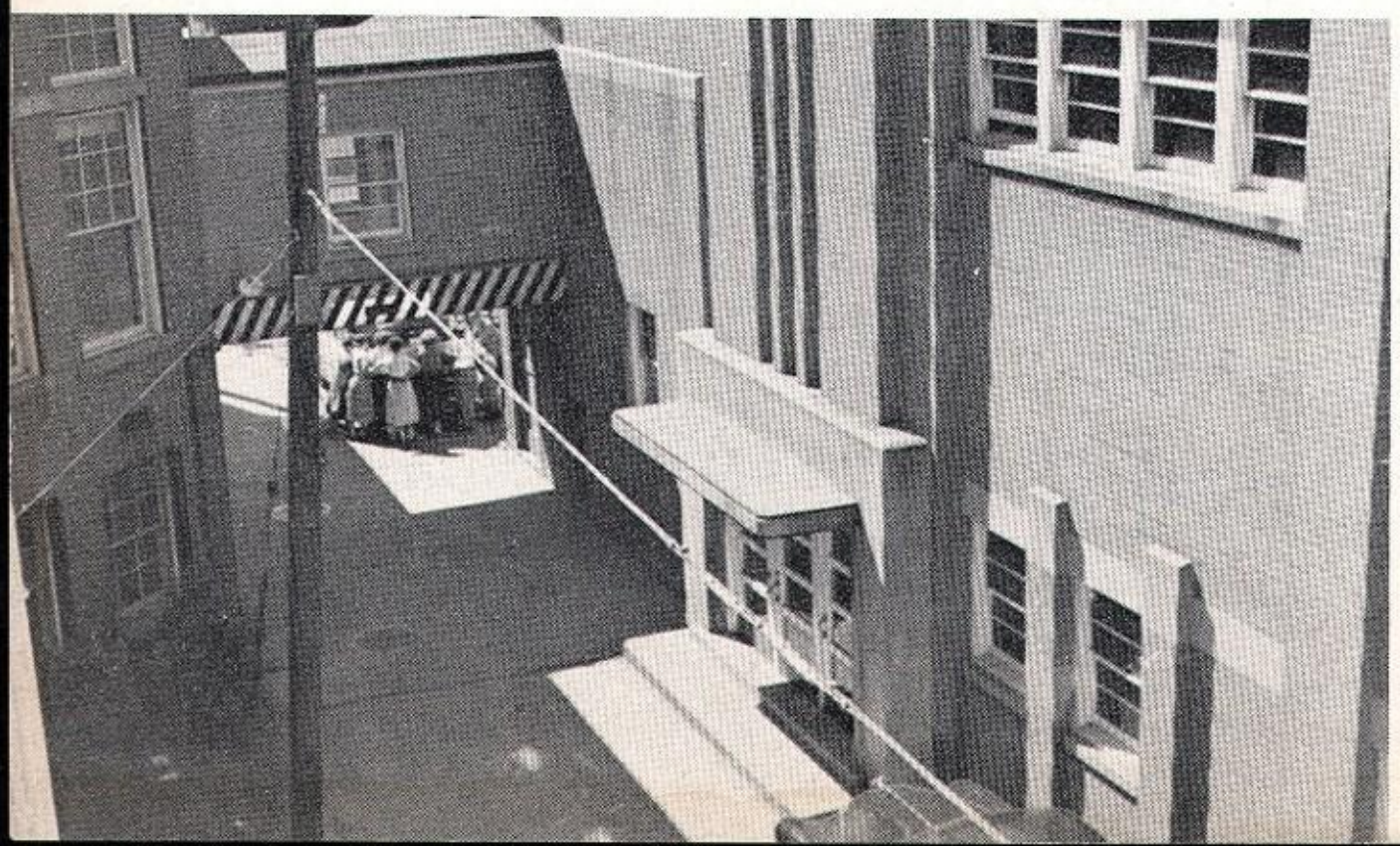
Foreword

Come with us for a tour of Paris! Once you step through the portals of Paris High School you will find a busy community at work and play. If you are a good traveler (and who isn't?), you will acquire a variety of impressions. Take our conducted tour so that you won't miss the main points of interest.

Just like the peerless city from whom we derive our name, we take pride in our buildings, facilities, activities, and accomplishments. We treasure the personality of our citizens and the freedoms and responsibilities of our common life. We admire individual achievement and enjoy our friendships and good times together. It is our hope that you will walk through the "Streets of Paris" with us, get to know our faces, observe how industrious we can be at our work and how richly we fill our days. Then join us for our special occasions through the fall, winter, and spring.



Crossing from the main building to the gymnasium.

Physical Education Building

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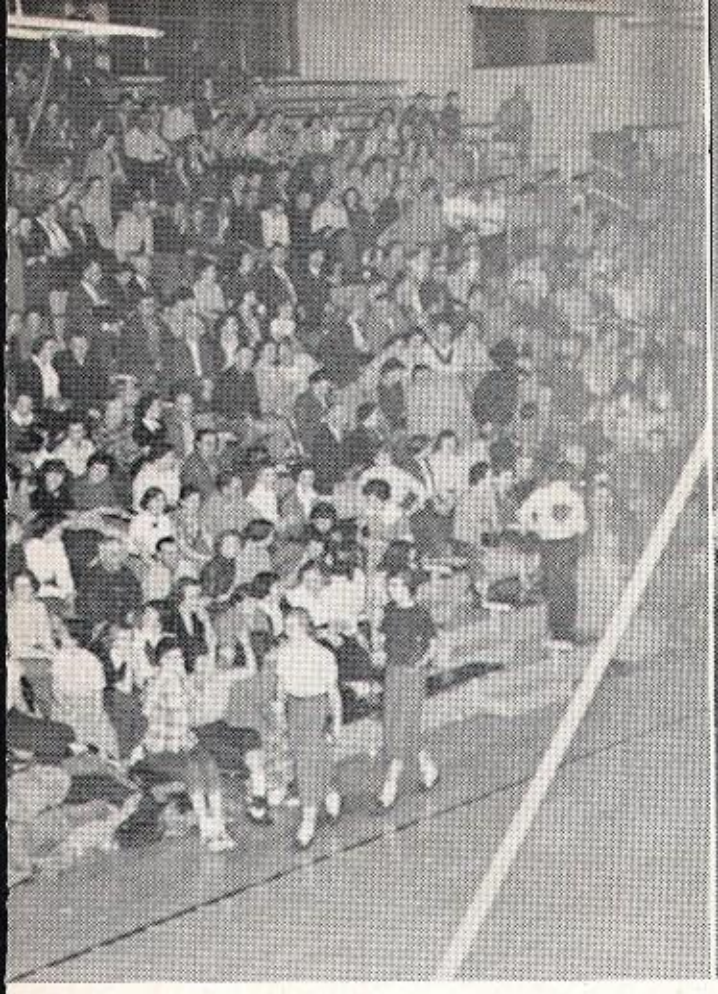
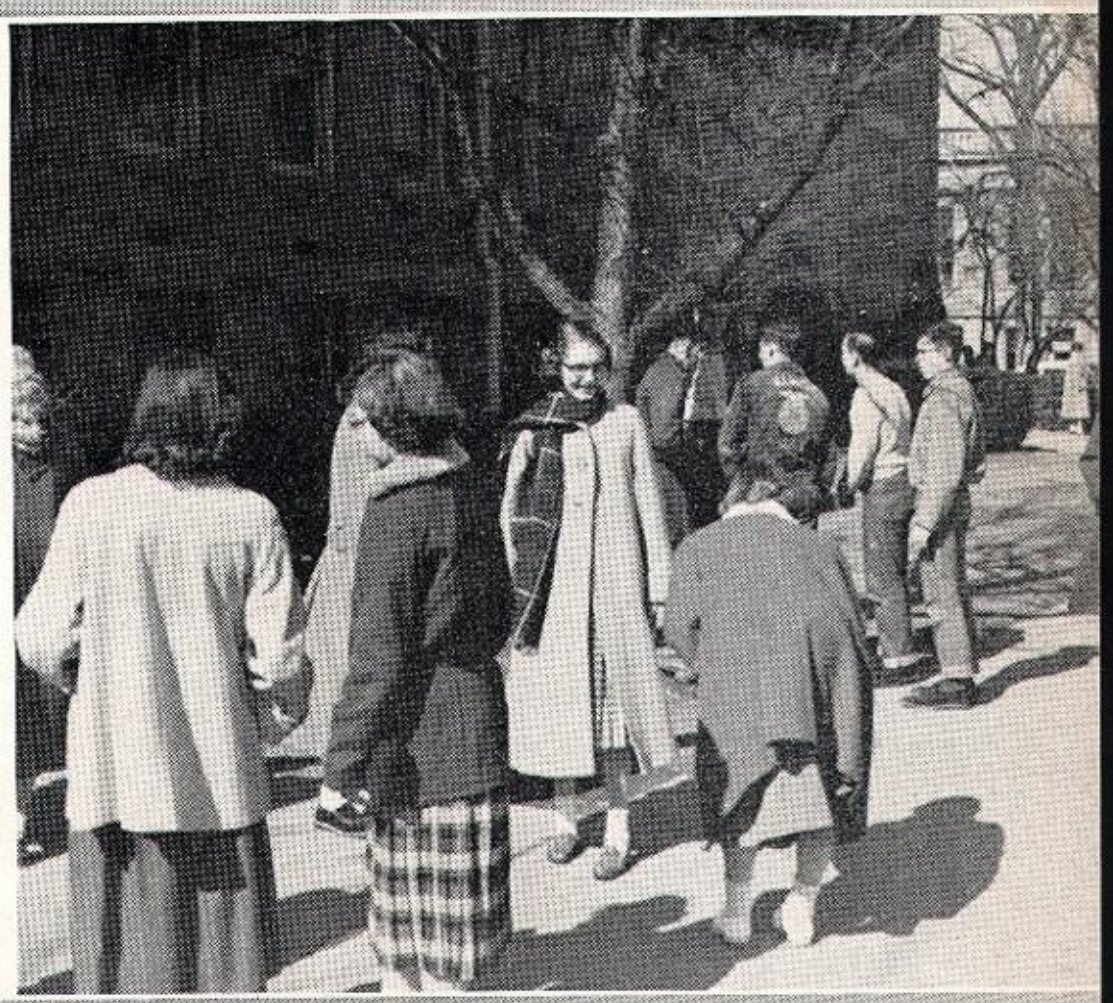
The Field House

"Streets





# of Paris"

HARLIE HATFILL, B.S., M.A.
Superintendent
Paris Public Schools

The

One would not expect to travel the streets of "Gay Paree" and fail to notice *l'école* (the school) wherein so many of our citizens, as well as you, our present students, have spent many happy and profitable hours. They now look upon their Alma Mater with just and honest pride, for we who work at Paris High School have set our main goal a way of developing individuals for the highest type of personal and social living of which they are capable. Education to those of us here is conceived as a continuous process of people working together to solve their problems in satisfying ways. The quality of the life of the school is dependent upon cooperative planning for the solution of these problems.

May your training here stand you in good stead for all of your future years and may you, too, pause and, as others before you, say, *"C'est magnifique, n'est-ce pas?"* (It's magnificent, isn't it?)

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Administrators

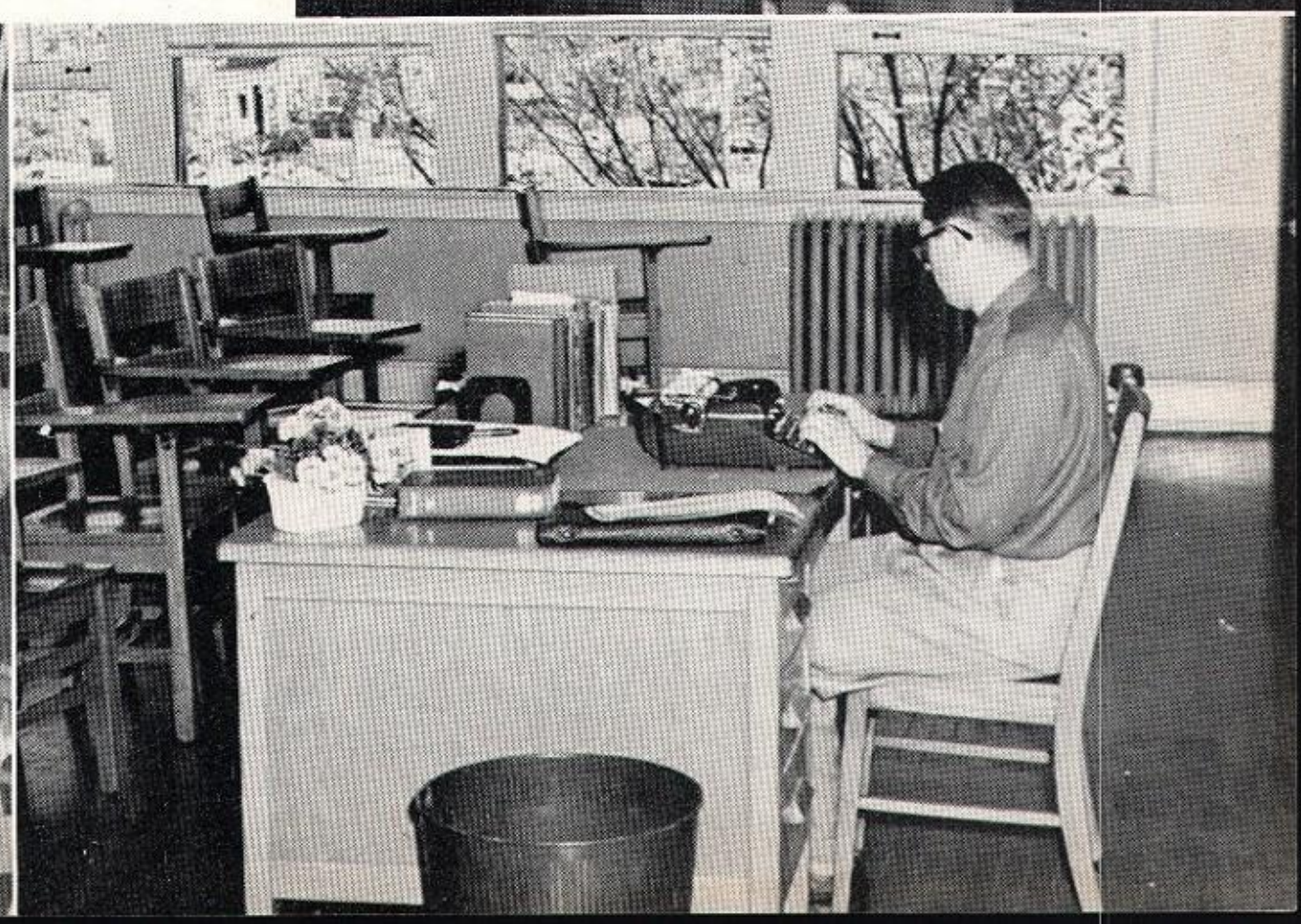
A school is a community whose members, the administrators, teachers, service personnel, and students, reside for specific periods within certain boundaries and share a government aimed toward providing the necessary order and the maximum comfort for group living. The school newspaper disseminates information to all. The graded curriculum allows the students, the majority members, to plan for individual scholastic achievement. The student council provides them representation in government. In this community, members learn to work and play together. They learn, either as participants or spectators, through classrooms and clubs, through gym and field, through concerts and plays. Although the time spent in this community by most of the members is relatively brief, the impact on them is great. The achievements gained, the friendships formed, and the good times shared are all enduring experiences.

CHARLES K. JENKINS, B.Ed., M.S.
Principal
Paris High School

The Faculty — At Teachers' Meeting

People of

Paris



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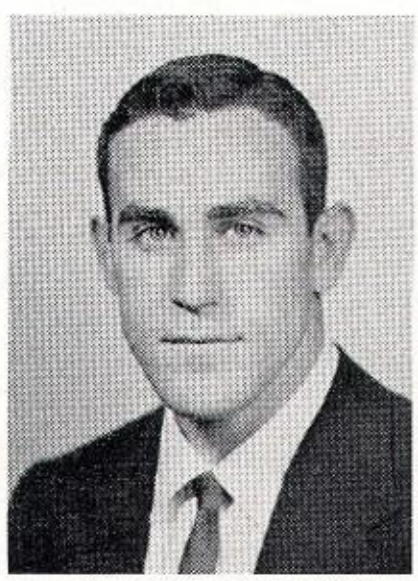

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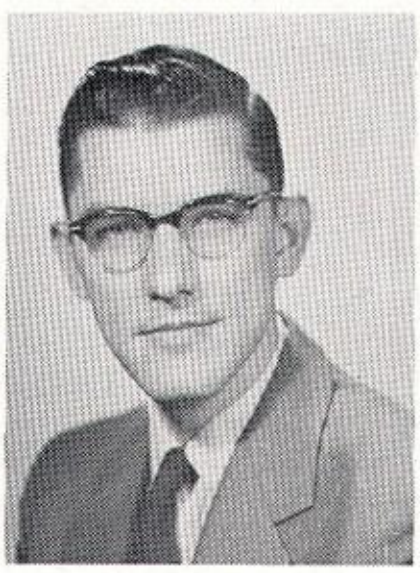

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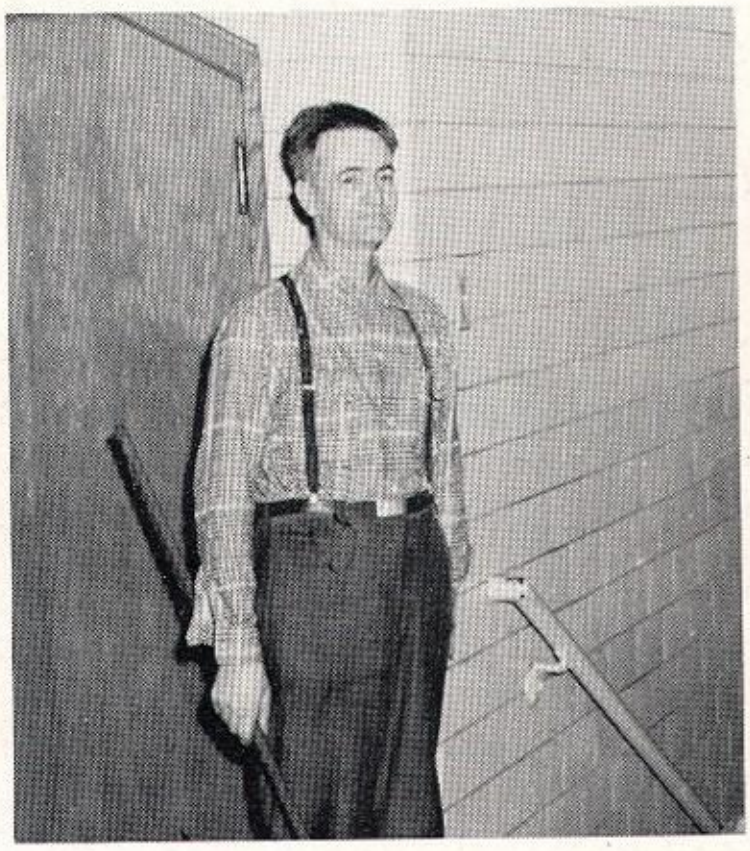
Orval Goff
Night Custodian

Left to right—Mrs. Dessie Millhouse, Mrs. Grace Weaver, and Mrs. Ona Dunn administer the hot lunch program.



Roy Shanks
Day Custodian

Roscoe Gosnell
Gym Custodian

William Eslinger
Custodian

Seated, left to right—Mr. Jones, Miss Perisho, Mr. Johnson.
Standing—Tony Meeks, Clark Dorsett, Connie Burgess, and William Sandilands.

THE SENIOR CLASS

The Graduating Class of 1954

"The Last Time I Saw Paris"

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Getting a fitting for commencement cap and gown.

Seniors preparing a float for Homecoming.

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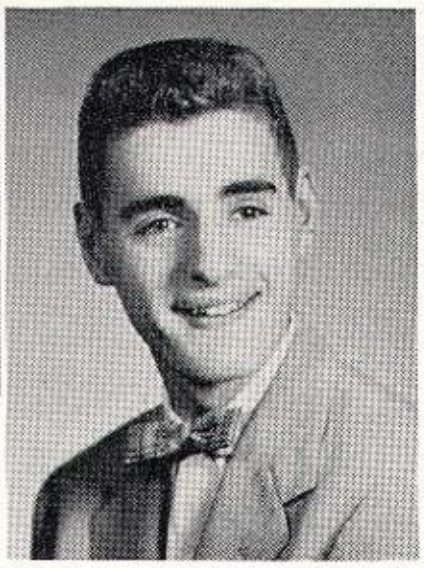

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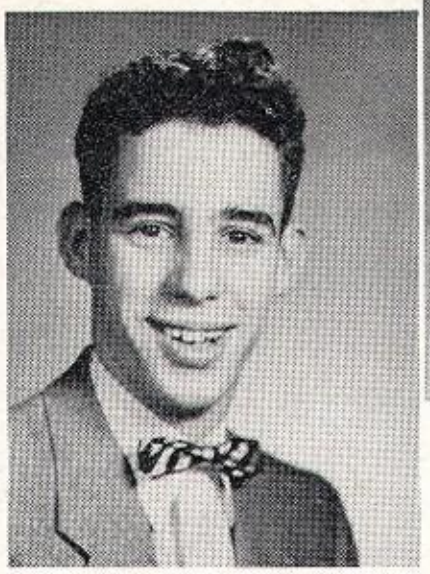

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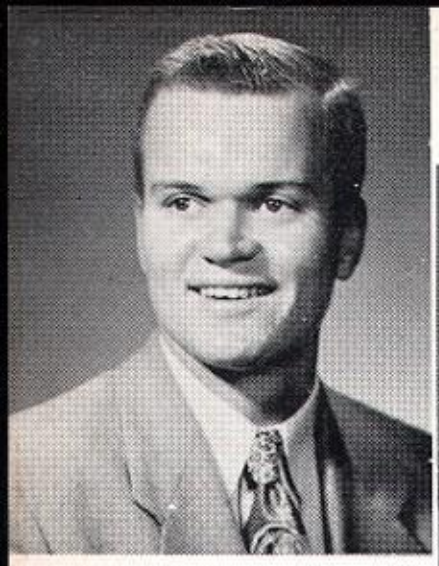

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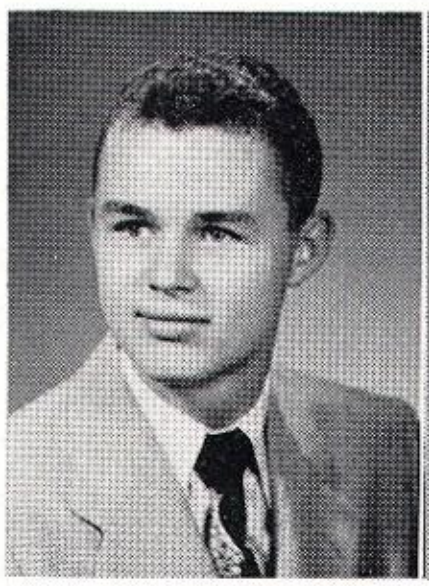

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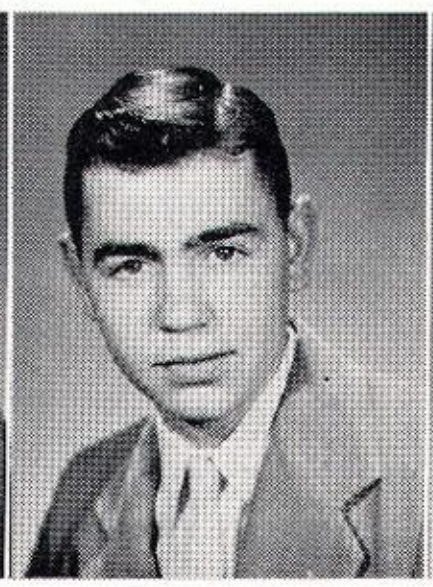

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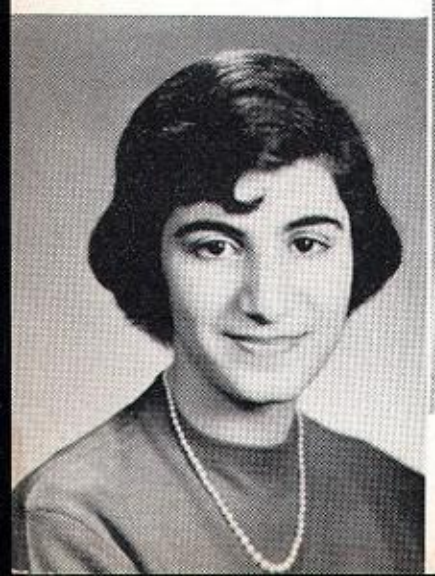

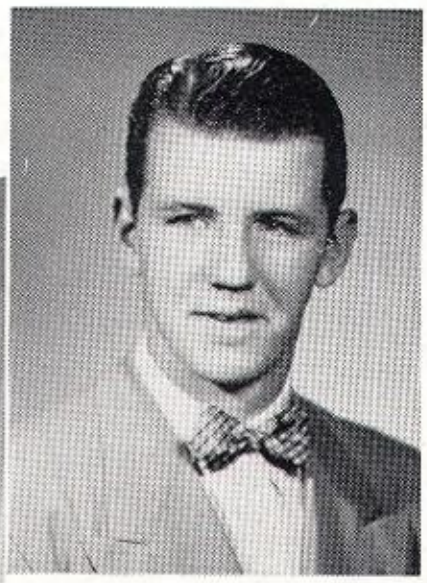

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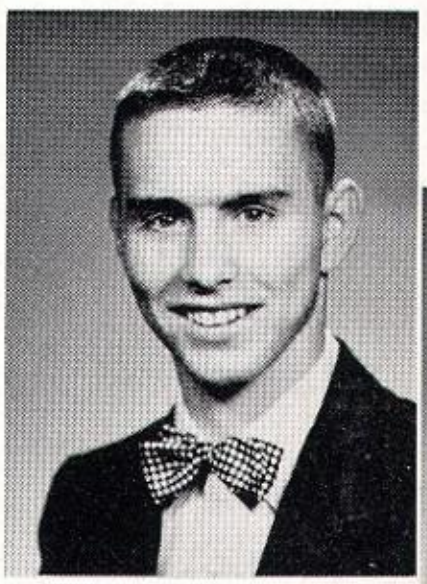

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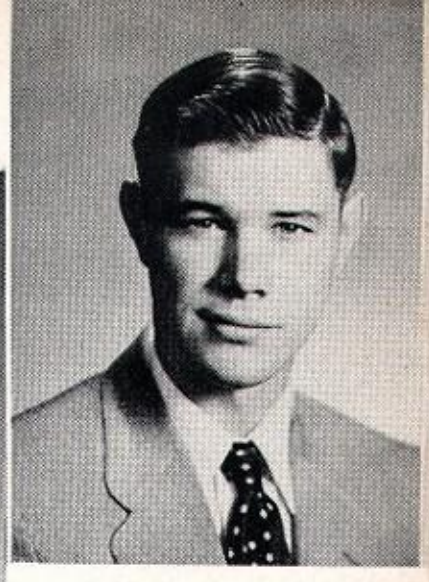

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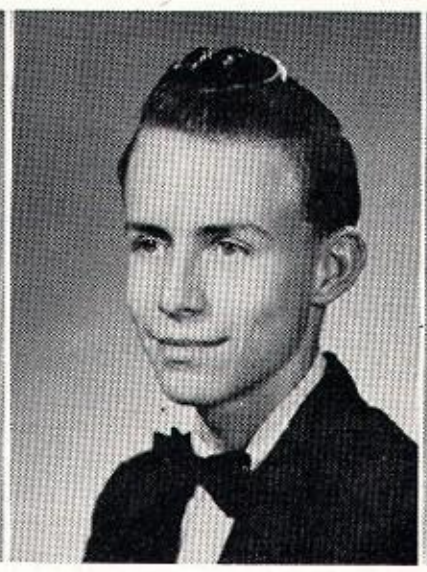

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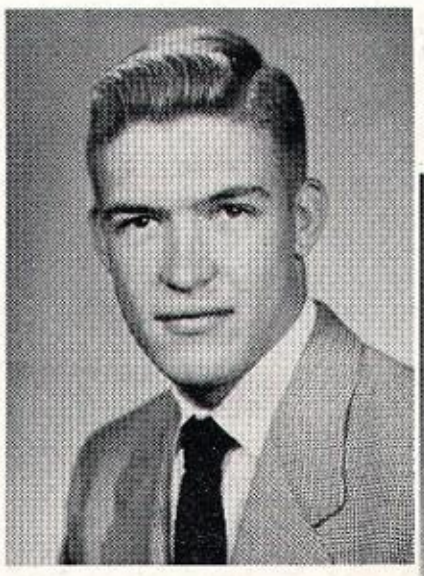

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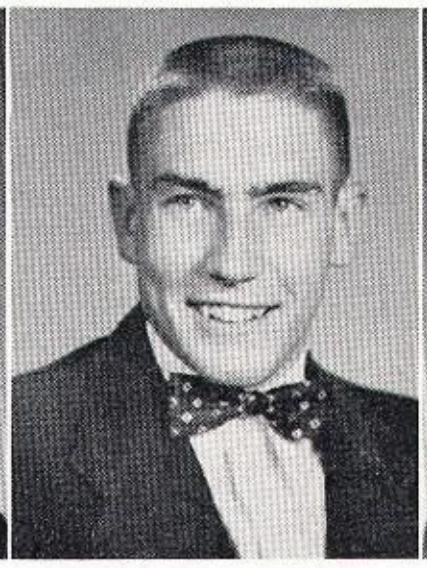

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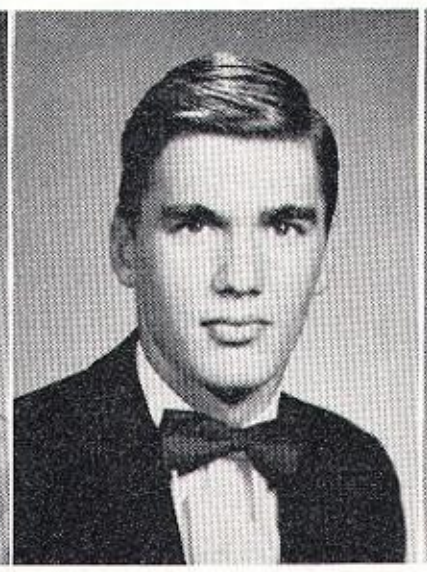

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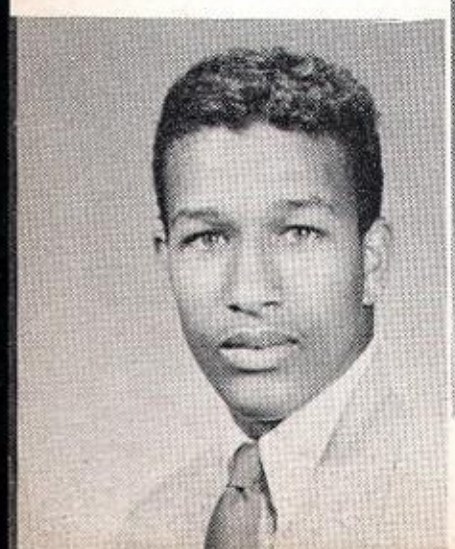

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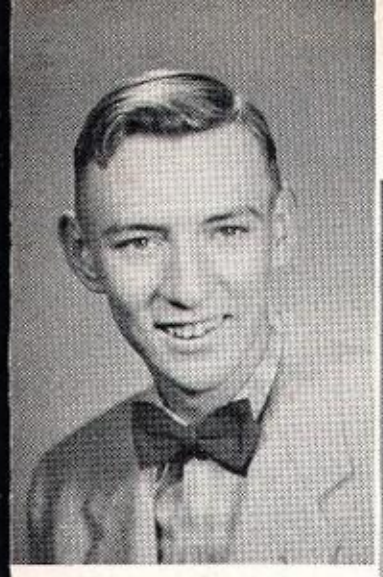

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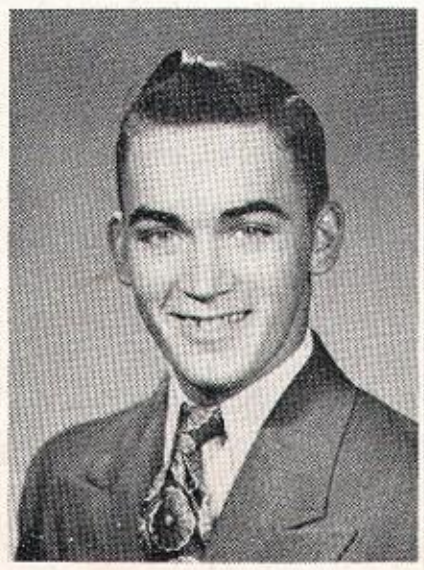

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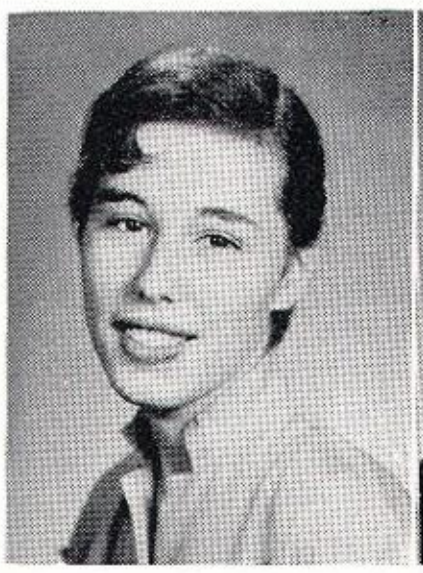

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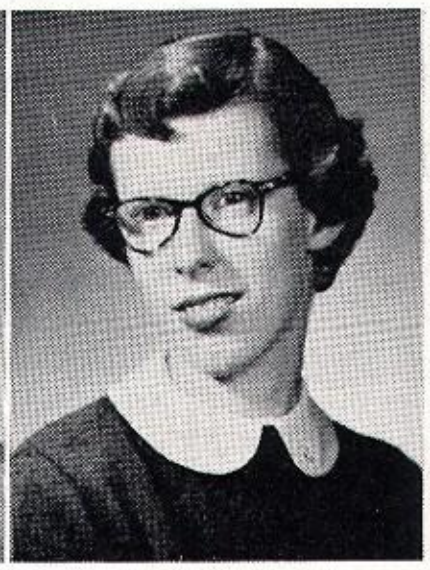

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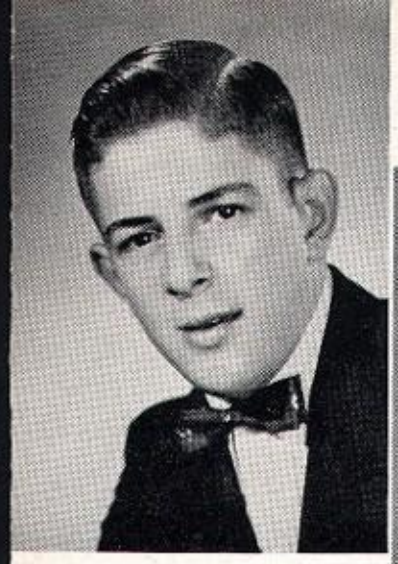

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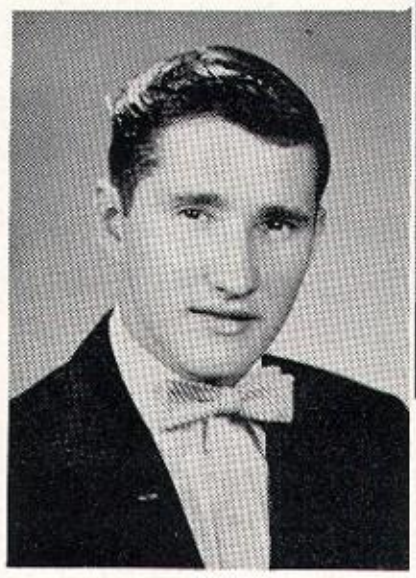

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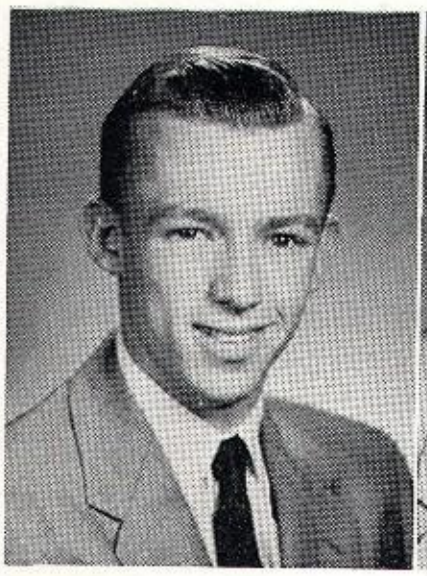

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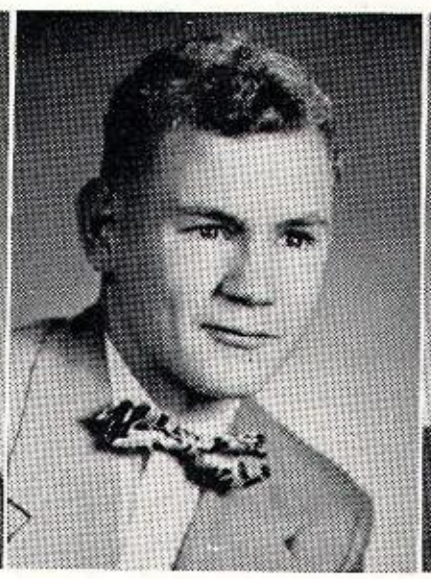

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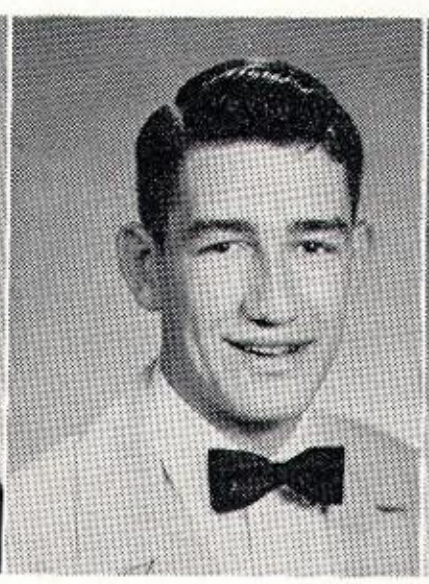

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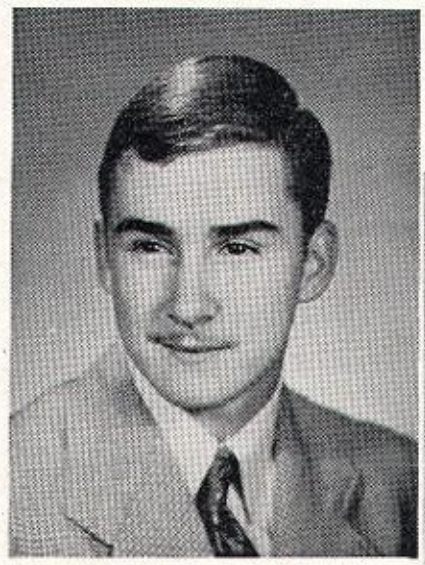

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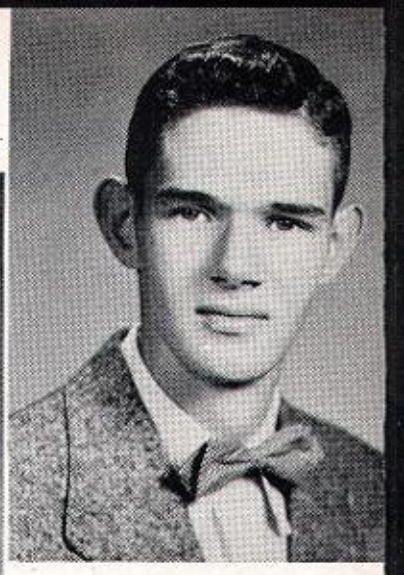

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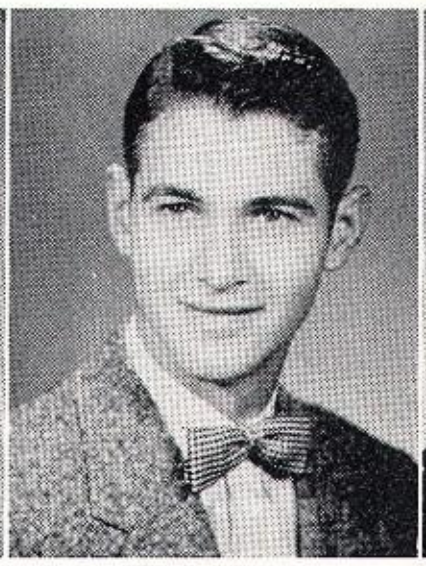

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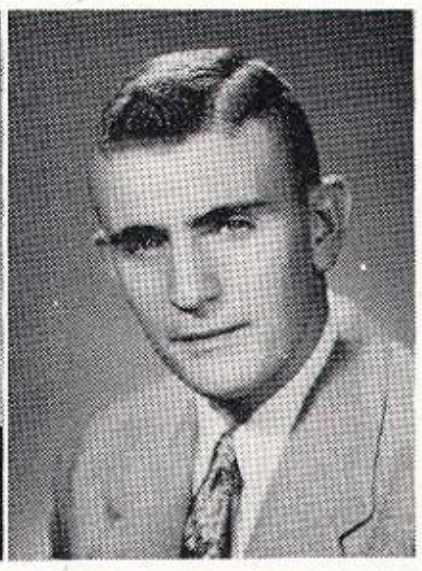

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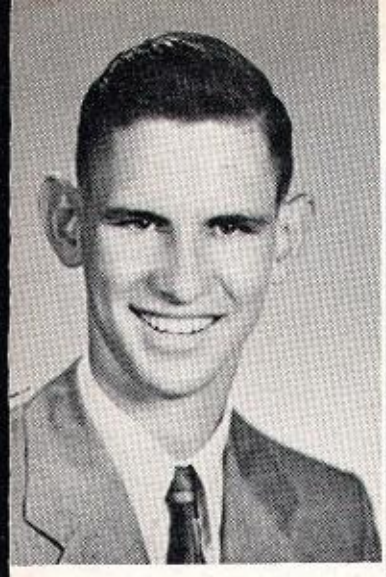

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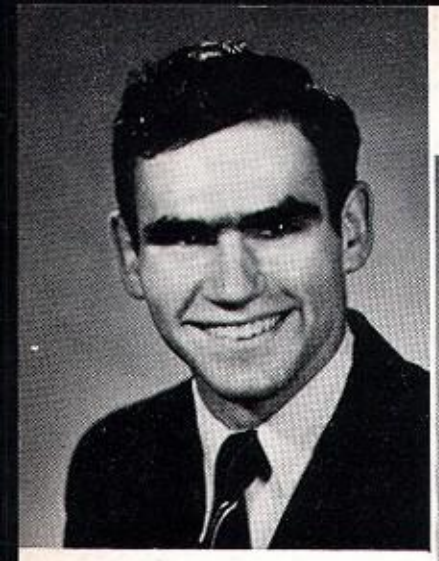

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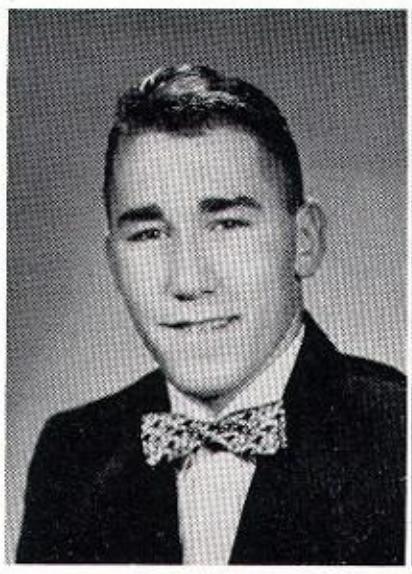

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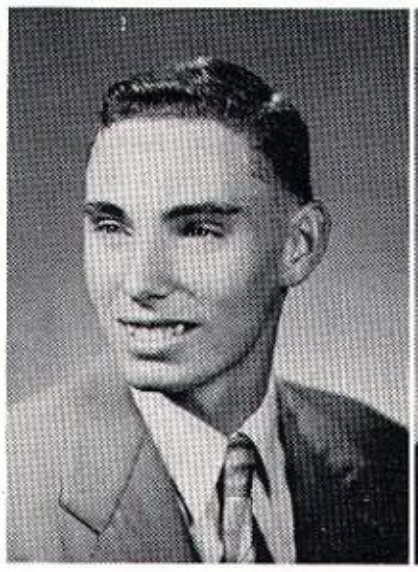

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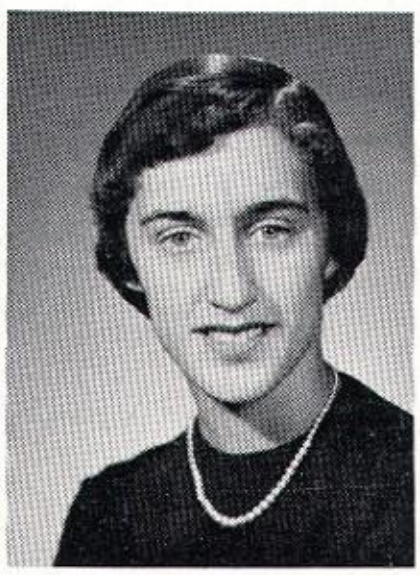

Elizabeth Lee Yontz

The Graduating Class of 1954

TED LEEALLEN ADAMS
Carnival 1; Book Club 4; Boys' Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2.

THOMAS L. ANDERSON
Home room officer 2; Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Carnival 1; Dramatics Club 4.

WAYNE JOSEPH ASHLEY
Home room officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Carnival 1; Key Club 1, 2, 3; Football 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Cross County 2, 3; Golf 1, 2.

HILDA WINIFRED AYRES
Class Plays cast and crew 4; May Fete 1; F.H.A. 2; D.E. 4; Band 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Mixed Chorus 2; Vocal Music Contest 2.

JOYCE LUCILLE BABB
Arena Staff 4; Class Plays crews 1, 2; Rhythm Revue 2; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 1; Office Practice 4; Band 1; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 2; Vocal Music Contest 3; Twirler 1, 2.

SHIRLEY ANN BAPP
Junior Play crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3; Financial Staff 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3.

RONALD BARATH
Key Club 1; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Football 3; Senior Class Play 4; Home room officer 4.

SHIRLEY MAE BEACH
Book Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4.

LARRY DONALD BEASLEY
Home room officer 2, 3; Distributive Education 3, 4; Book Club 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Baseball 3, 4.

MARILYN JEAN BESS
Honor Roll 3, 4; Home room officer 2; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 1; Floating Footlights, Talent Show 2, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1, 2, 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

MARLENE RUTH BLACK
Office Practice 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

GEORGANNA BLUME
Honor Roll 4; Student Council 4; Home Room Officer 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Homecoming Court 3, 4; Tiger Relays Court 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Thespians 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 2.

MARY JOANNE BOVELL
Honor Roll 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Crew 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Band Contest 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1; Camera Club 1.

TWILA IMOGENE BRIDWELL
Student Council Member 1, 2; Home Room Officer 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Crew 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3.

DON BRIEL
Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 3, 4.

PATRICIA ANN BRIGHT
Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; *Tiger Tales* 4; Senior Play Crew 4; May Fete 1, 4; Bible Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Elks' Essay Contest 4.

WANDA LOUISE BROOKS
Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

DEEMA LANORA BROSMAN
May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2; D.E. 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; G.A.A. 1.

JOHN ROBERT BUNNELL
Student Council Member 3, 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Key Club 3, 4; Book Club 4; Football 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Cross Country 2, 3; Most Valuable Player (Basketball) 1952-53; Co-Captain Basketball Varsity 4.

CONNIE LEE BURGESS
Honor Roll 1; Home Room Officer 1, 2, 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; D.O. 4; Key Club 3; Football 1, 2; Basketball 1; Track 1; Secretary of the Senior Class.

ROSEMARY ANN BUTLER
Senior Play Cast 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1; Dramatics Club 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

JOAN MARGARET CALVIN
Honor Roll 2, 3; Junior Play Crew 3; Polio Talent Show 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; O.P. 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Ensemble 1st in State Music Contest 1.

CAROL ANN CAMPBELL
Arena Staff 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1, 2, 3; Treble Cleff 2.

DAVID CHARLES CARNAHAN
Football 1, 2; D.O. 3.

MIRIAM BETTY CHURUKIAN
Honor Roll 3; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Camera Club 1.

ROBERT FRANCIS CLARK
Football 2, 3, 4.

DENNIS RAY COLLIER
Book Club 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Co-Captain Basketball Varsity 4.

LOLA EDITH CONLEY
Honor Roll 1, 4; Student Council Member 1, 3, 4; Student Council Officer 1, 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior and Junior Play Crews 3, 4; Student Council Revue 2; Tiger Tales Revue 3; Talent Show 4; Homecoming attendant 2, 3; May Fete 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2, 3; F.H.A. 1; Vice-President of Sophomore Class 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Octett 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President Dramatics Club 2; President of Chorus 3; Secretary of Glee Club 1, 4. Redmon High School 1.

WILLIAM CHARLES CRAWLEY
Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Track 1, 2, 3; Golf 2, 3.

JUDITH LEE CUNNINGHAM
May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; G.A.A. 1.

JIM CUSHMAN
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3.

ROSEMARY ANN CUSHMAN
Home Room Officer 1; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Crew 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3; Drum Major 4.

ROBERT DAVID DAUGHERTY
Carnival 1; D.E. 4; Dramatics Club 2.

DENNIE J. DAVIDSON
Honor Roll 3; Student Council Member 4; D.E. 4; Bible Club 4.

CAROLYN JANE DAY
Honor Roll 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; O.P. 4; Bible Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1.

GERALDINE DAY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 1, 2, 3; Arena Staff Editor 4; *Tiger Tales* 1, 2, 3; Junior Play Cast 3; Class Play Crew 1, 2; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Thespians 4; Twirler 2, 3; Band 3; Band Contest 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; G.A.A. 2, 4.

ALMIRA RUTH DENNISON
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Crew 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Dramatics Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Band Contest 1, 2, 3; Twirler 3.

ROLAND IRWIN DICK
Junior Play Cast 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Thespians 4; Band 1; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Track 2; Cross Country 2; Baseball 3.

MARGARET A. DOAK
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Tiger Relay Court 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Court 2, 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Program Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; O.P. 4; G.A.A. 2; G.A.A. Officer 3; G.A.A. Delegate to State 3; Class President 2; Class Treasurer 3.

CLAUDE C. DORSETT
Student Council Member 1; *Tiger Tales* 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Key Club 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 1, 2, 3; Class Treasurer 2; Class Vice-President 4; Captain Football Varsity 4; Good Sportsmanship Award 4.

SHARON JUNE DOWNING
Senior Play Cast 4; Talent Show 3; May Fete 1, 3, 4; O.P. 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3.

MARILYN ROSE FESSANT
Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; Book Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 2.

CLARK WARNER FINDLEY
Student Council Revue 2; Polio Benefit Talent Show 3; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Band 2; Boys' Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Football 3; Team Manager 2.

PHYLLIS ELAINE FINDLEY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Alternate 4; May Fete 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3 (Marshall); Girls' Glee Club 1, 2 (Marshall); Mixed Chorus 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2, 3 (Marshall).

ANN FOLEY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 1, 2, 3; Arena Staff Editor 4; *Tiger Tales* 1, 3; Class Play Crews 1, 2, 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 2; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club Officer 4; Band 2, 3; Band Contest 2; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Twirler 2, 3; Chemistry Team 3; Camera Club 1.

SHIRLEY ANN FRANCIS
Honor Roll 3, 4; Home Room Officer 2; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Sophomore Dance Queen 2; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treble Cleff 3, 4; G.A.A. 1.

ROBERT A. GARDNER
Tiger Tales 4; F.F.A. 2, 3.

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SHARON LEE GAYER
Home Room Officer 4; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 2; Christmas Play 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2; G. A. A. 1; Christmas Play Crew 4.

PEGGY JEAN GHER
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior Class Play Cast 3; Polio Revue 3; Tiger Tales Revue 3; Student Council Talent Show 4; May Fete 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 3; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 3; Bible Club 4; Book Club President 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Thespians 4; Girls' Octette 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4; President Girls' Glee Club 3; Vocal Music Contest 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2; Chemistry Team 3. Urbana High School 1 2: Class Treasurer 2; Echo Staff 1, 2; French Club 1, 2; Ex Libris 1; Social Club 1, 2; Alpha, Freshman Honorary Society; All School Play Cast 2.

BILLY BOB GIVENS
Senior Play Crew 4.

PHYLLIS ILLENE GODDARD
Stunt Night 1; May Fete 3; F.H.A. 1; D.E. 1; Band 1; Band Contest 1; G.A.A. 1. Kansas High School 1.

LOUIS JASPER GOINS
Home Room Officer 1, 2, 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Crew 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Good Sportsmanship Award 3.

CAROLYN E. GOSNELL
Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4.

PHILIP GRIFFIN
F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4.

PHYLIS GRIFFIN
Home Room Officer 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Treble Cleff 1.

MICHAEL J. HAASE
Senior Play Crew 4; Band 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

DONNA JEAN HALE
Home Room Officer 1, 2, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1, 2; D.E. 4; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

JUDITH ANN HALE
Home Room Officer 3; May Fete 3.

MARTHA JEAN HALL
F.H.A. 1; G.A.A. 4; Girls' Chorus 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Hearts Club 1. Effingham 1; Cumberland 2, 3.

BERNARD E. HALLORAN
Honor Roll 1, 4; Home Room Officer 2, 4; F.F.A. 3, 4; D.E. 4; Dramatics Club 4; Football 2, 3; Secretary Junior Class; F.F.A. Officer.

PHYLLIS M. HARDWICK
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 2; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 1; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1.

MICHAEL JOSEPH HARVEY
Honor Roll 3; Student Council Member 3, 4; Student Council President 4; Home Room Officer 1, 2; Student Council Revue 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Projection Club 1, 2; Science Club Officer 2; Key Club 1, 2, 3; Book Club 4; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Captain Cross Country Team 3; Intramural Basketball 3; Carnival 1; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Class President 3.

WILMA JANE WILHOIT HEARN
Honor Roll 2, 3; Home Room Officer 1, 2; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1; D.E. 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2; Speech Contest 2; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 1; Officer of D.E. 4.

DONALD A. HEIRONIMUS
Honor Roll 1; Home Room Officer 1, 3; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Dramatics Club 4; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2; Cross Country 2, 3; Baseball 3, 4; Pep Club 1. Evansville Central High School 1.

WILLIAM CAREY HENNESS
May Fete 2; Camera Club 1, 2; Boys' Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 1; Basketball 4; Cross Country 4; Baseball 1.

SHIRLEY ANN HENSON
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Member 1; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 4; Dramatics Club 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

BEVERLEY JANE HILL
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Member 2; Home Room Officer 2; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Crew 4; May Fete 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 2, 3; Dramatics Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Band Contest 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 2.

KITTY JO HILL
Home Room Officer 1; Floating Footlights 2; Talent Show 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 1; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Music Treasurer 2, 3.

FRANK HOLLINGSWORTH
F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; D.O. 4; Cross Country 2.

ALTA LOUISE HOOD
Honor Roll 1; Home Room Officer 2, 3, 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; D.E. 4; Treble Cleff 1.

MARY RUTH HORTON
May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; D.E. 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

JACQUOLYN J. HUTCHINGS
May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; D.E. 4; G.A.A. 1, 2.

WILNA BEVERLY JAMISON
Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Band 1, 2; Band Contest 1; G.A.A. 1. Kansas High School 1.

SALLIE LEE JARRELL
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Member 4; Home Room Officer 1; Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Crew 3; Tiger Tales Revue 3; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Program Chairman 3; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 2; President Bi-Phy-Chem Club 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Band Contest 2; Girls' Glee Club 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 3; Latin Contest 1, 2; Chemistry Contest 3; Girls' Sextette 1; Girls' Octette 3; Mixed Octet 4; Voice Solo 1, 3.

CONSTANCE L. JENNINGS
Honor Roll 3, 4; *Tiger Tales* 1; Junior Play Crew 3; Rhythm Revue 3; Polio Show 3; Student Council Talent Revue 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2; Vocal Music Contest 2, 3.

MARJORIE LOUISE JUDY
Tiger Tales 4; Junior Play Crew 3; Rhythm Revue 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Band 4; Band Contest 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3, 4; G.A.A. 1; Carnival 1, 2; Christmas Play 4; Majorette 4.

DAVID NORMAN KAISERMAN
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; *Tiger Tales* 1, 2, 3; Carnival 1; Rhythm Revue 2; Tiger Tales Polio Show 3; Student Council Talent Show 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1.

ALICE MAE KEENEN
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4;Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. President 3, 4; Book Club 4; Chemistry Team 3.

SARAH ALICE KERRICK
Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; Mixed Chorus 3.

CAROL LOUISE LOWRY
Senior Play Cast 4; Junior Play Crew 3; Financial Staff 3, 4; F.H.A. 1; Bible Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

SARAH JOANNE LUTH
Tiger Tales 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2.

SHIRLEY MARIE McCOY
Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 4; May Fete 2; Treble Cleff 2.

SUSAN PHYLLIS McCOY
Junior Play Crew 3; Homecoming Attendant 1; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

MARY ELIZABETH McNELLY
Honor Roll 3, 4; Student Council Member 1, 2; Arena Staff, Business Manager 4; Class Plays 1, 2; May Fete 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Mixed Chorus 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4. University High School, Urbana 1, 2: Orchestra 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1; Tri-High Council 1, 2; Class Secretary 2.

GERALD EUGENE MARCHANT
Tiger Tales 4; Book Club 4; Football 2; Basketball 2; Cross Country 2; Baseball 4.

PHYLLIS ANNE MATTINGLY
Honor Roll 1, 2; *Tiger Tales* 4; May Fete 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2. Sacred Heart Academy, Springfield, 1, 2.

TONY L. MEEKS
Student Council Member 1, 2, 4; Student Council Officer 2; Home Room Officer 2; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Projection Club 4; Key Club 2; Book Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; President of the Senior Class 4.

NANCY ROCHELLE MELTON
Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; Financial Staff 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

CARMEN LEE MOORE
Student Council Member 2, 3; Key Club 1, 2; Football 1, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2, 3.

ROBERT LEROY MORECRAFT
Arena Staff 4; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 3; Dramatics Club 4.

MARCIA MOSS
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 2, 4; Rhythm Revue 1; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Treble Cleff 2; Chemistry Team 3.

EVELYN NEBERGALL
Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 4; May Fete 2; Treble Cleff 1.

CHARLES TERRENCE PAYNE
Home Room Officer 1, 3; Junior Play Cast 3; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Baseball 1.

SUZANNA KAY PEARMAN
Honor Roll 2, 3; Home Room Officer 1, 2, 3; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 1, 2; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; Carnival 1; Polio Revue 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3, 4; Financial Staff 1, 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Treble Cleff Girls' Sextet 1; Girls' Glee Club Octet 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus Octet 1.

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PATRICIA E. PERKINSON
May Fete 4; Book Club 4.

WILLIAM N. PIPER III
Home Room Officer 1, 3; Junior Play Cast 3; Book Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Golf 1, 4; Baseball 3.

JAMES LEE POYNTER
Home Room Officer 2.

VINETA ROSE RANDOLPH
Honor Roll 1, 3; Arena Staff 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 4; Camera Club 1, 2; Book Club 4; Octet 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3.

NANCY ANN RHOADS
Home Room Officer 2; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 1; Senior Play Cast 4; Rhythm Revue 2; Polio Revue 3; Student Council Revue 4; May Fete 2, 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 1, 2; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Vocal Music Contest 3, 4.

JAMES R. RICKETTS
Cross Country 1; Baseball 3.

ROSEMARY ROACH
Honor Roll 3; *Tiger Tales* 1, 2; Junior Play Crew; Student Council Revue 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4.

CLARA E. ROSS
Tiger Tales 4; May Fete 1, 2; Bible Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2.

WILLIAM RICHARD SAITER
Home Room Officer 3; F.F.A. 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Cross Country 2, 3.

WILLIAM SANDILANDS
Honor Roll 1; Home Room Officer 3, 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Key Club 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4. Watseka High School 1: Dramatic Club, Basketball, Baseball, Prom Committee.

LARRY G. SCOTT
Home Room Officer 1, 2; Baseball 3.

MARY KATHYRAN SEXTON
Honor Roll 2, 3; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff Student Manager 4; O.P. 4; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

CHARLES DONALD SISSON
Honor Roll 1; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4; Boys' Chorus 1, 2; Mixed Chorus 1, 2; Basketball 2; Track 1, 2; Cross Country 1, 2; Baseball 1.

SIBYL JEANNE SLAUGHTER
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 1, 2; *Tiger Tales* 4; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; Carnival 1; Rhythm Revue 2; Polio Revue 3; Student Council Revue 4; Homecoming Attendant 1; May Fete 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 2, 3; Projection Club 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 2.

JACK RICHARD SLAY
Home Room Officer 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4.

LAWRENCE L. SMITH
Home Room Officer 1; Junior and Senior Play Casts 3, 4; Student Council Revue 4; May Fete 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Projection Club 3, 4; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 2, 3; D.E. 4; Bible Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Thespians 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Cross Country 1, 2; President of D.E. 4; D.E. State Convention 4; Science Fair, 1st place district and 2nd state.

MARGARET RUTH SMITHSON
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council Member 4; Home Room Officer 3; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2; Latin Contest 2.

LORETTA MARLENE SNEARLY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Junior Play Crew 3; Rhythm Revue 2; Polio Revue 3; Talent Show 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Thespians 4; Girls' Glee Club 3, 4; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; Accompanist 1, 2, 3, 4; Honorable Mention during Courtesy Campaign 1; Ensemble 2, 4; Student Director of Class Play 3; Chemistry Team 3.

PHYLLIS Y. SOMERVILLE
Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; May Fete 3; Financial Staff 4; F.H.A. 1; Girls' Glee Club 1; Mixed Chorus 1; G.A.A. 1.

MONTE L. SPILLMAN
Honor Roll 1; Home Room Officer 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Projection Club 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2; Cross Country 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 3, 4.

JOHN H. STANLEY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Student Council Member 3; Home Room Officer 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Cast 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.F.A. 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Thespians 4; Boys' Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 3, 4.

MARY MAE STICKLER
May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4.

SHIRLEY ANN STURGELL
Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; G.A.A. 3.

HILA JANE TANNER
Senior Play 4; May Fete 3; Financial Staff 3; Dramatics Club 1.

ELLA L. THOMPSON
Class Play 1; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4.

WILLIAM EUGENE THOMPSON
Home Room Officer 1; Junior Play Cast 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Key Club 3, 4; Book Club 4; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 2.

BARBARA LOUISE TIFFIN
Arena Staff 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; F.H.A. 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Treble Cleff 1.

HAROLD L. TITUS
Student Council Member 1; Home Room Officer 1; Boys' Chorus 1, 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 3; Vocal Music Contest 1, 2, 3; D.O. 4.

DOROTHY KATHRYNE TOBEY
Honor Roll 3; Student Council Member 2; Home Room Officer 1; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 1, 2, 3; Junior Play Crew 3; Prompter for Junior and Senior Plays 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Financial Staff Business Manager 4; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 2; Camera Club 1; Carnival 1; Book Club 4; Band 1, 2; Band Contest 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 2, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Treble Cleff 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

CAROLEE TOLLIVER
Home Room Officer 1, 3, 4; *Tiger Tales* 1; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

THOMAS J. TROGDON III
Honor Roll 3; Home Room Officer 4; Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Cast and Crew 3, 4; Student Council Revue 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Projection Club 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4; Thespians 3, 4; Camera Club 1; Carnival 1.

OPAL JOANN TURNER
Student Council Member 2; Student Council Officer 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Homecoming Attendant 3; May Fete 2, 3; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4; Vocal Music Contest 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. Camp.

EVALINA UMBERGER
Honor Roll 1, 3; Home Room Officer 1; Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 2.

LEE KAREN VARNER
Honor Roll 1, 2; May Fete 1, 2; Book Club 4; Treble Cleff 1.

IRMA DOYNE WALLS
Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 3; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; Tiger Relay Attendant 2; Homecoming Attendant 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Treble Cleff 1.

JOHN W. WALTZ
D.O. 3, 4.

ANNE WATSON
Home Room Officer 1, 2; Arena Staff 4; Junior and Senior Play Cast 3, 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 3, 4; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 4.

ALICE LOUISE WHITE
Home Room Officer 4; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; O.P. 4.

MARTHA LEE WHITE
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Arena Staff and Editor-in-Chief 4; May Fete 1, 2, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Elks Essay Contest 2nd place; Woman's Club Essay 1st place; alternate for Girls' State Chemistry Team; D.A.R. Award.

CONNIE DALE WILHOIT
F.F.A. 3.

DELORES L. WILHOIT
Polio Revue 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4.

MARGARET L. WILLIAMS
Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 2; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Book Club 4.

MAX WILLIAMS
Junior Play Crew 3; F.F.A. 1, 2; Boys' Chorus 1; Mixed Chorus 1; Cross Country 2, 4.

MARTHA L. WILLOUGHBY
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 3;; *Tiger Tales* 4; Junior Play Crew 3; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Book Club 4.

MILDRED R. WRIGHT
May Fete 4; Bible Club 1; Book Club 1.

ELIZABETH LEE YONTZ
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Home Room Officer 1; Arena Staff 4; *Tiger Tales* 1; Junior and Senior Play Crews 3, 4; Rhythm Revue 1; May Fete 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet—Prom Committee 3; Financial Staff 2; F.H.A. 2; Bi-Phy-Chem Club 2; Book Club 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 3; Treble Cleff 1, 2; Vocal Music Contest 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Camera Club 1; Vice-President of Freshman Class 1.

Seated, left to right—Mr. Day, Mrs. Bizal, Mr. Cooley.
Standing—Gene Ward, Bob Dennison, Emilie Redmon, Bob Runyan.

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Fourth row—Frank Clinton, Jane Collier, Larry Collier, Paul Collier, Tom Collier, Luther Colter, Sandra Comstock, Sherrill Coulter.
Fifth row—Mary Katherine Craig, Jerry Cravens, Nancy Cravens, Dorothy Crawley, Charles Culpepper, Glen Cunningham, Leslie Cunningham, Marlene Dailey.
Sixth row—Barbara Day, Robert Dennison, Patricia Downs, Shirley Englum, Archie Eslinger, Herbert Farnham, Nancy Findley, Mary Fitzsimmons.
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Third row—Mari Kay Heminger, Douglas Henderson, Peggy Henson, Wanda Hofmann, John Hopper, Clara Hout, Jerry Huffman, Alma Hunt.
Fourth row—Francis Jenkins, Frances Johnson, James Johnson, Sharon Jones, Spencer Keltz, Phyllis Kirby, Wreatha Knight, Donald Knoepfel.
Fifth row—Hila Laufman, Howard Long, William Luth, Ronald McConkey, Jack McCoy, Robert Mackey, Charlotte Mason, Margaret Mathis.
Sixth row—Barbara Matthews, Norma Maynard, Ruth Melton, Jack Milbourn, Sharon Miller, Dean Moore, Frank Moore, Earl Morris.
Seventh row—Carolyn Morrisey, Larry Morrisey, Larry Moss, Helen Murdach, Margaret Nebergall, Donald Nixon, Margie Ogle, Judith Payne.

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Third row—Warren Sampson, Max Scott, Jim Shephard, Donald Shields, Shirley Silverman, Shirley Simpson, Patricia Sims, Gerald Skinner.
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Fifth row—William Sunkel, Don Swinford, Goldie Swinford, Marilyn Swinford, Vada Swinford, Robert Tague, Kay Tanner, Thelma Tibbs.
Sixth row—Arthur Tiffin, Barbara Todd, Beverly Travioli, Mildred Tuttle, Anna Walker, Dixie Wallace, Janet Walls, Eugene Ward.
Seventh row—Edith Weger, John Wiley, Diane Wilhoit, Jack Wilson, Ronald Wilson, Nancy Wiltz, Ada Wright, Thomas Zink.

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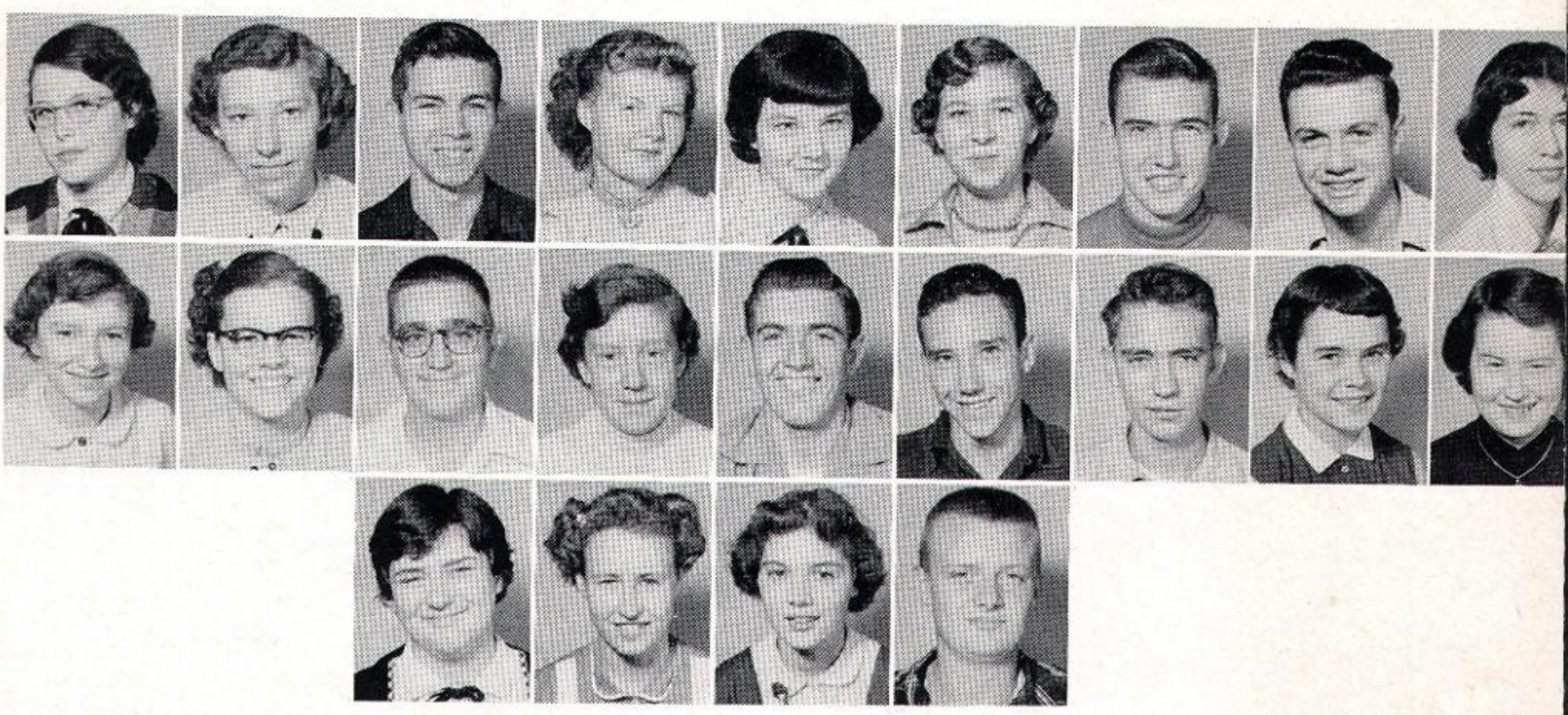

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Second row—Rose Brooks, Jennie Brosman, Larry Brown, Judith Bulkley, Dean Camp, William Cash, John Cassady, Sally Jo Chaney, Kay Cockcroft.
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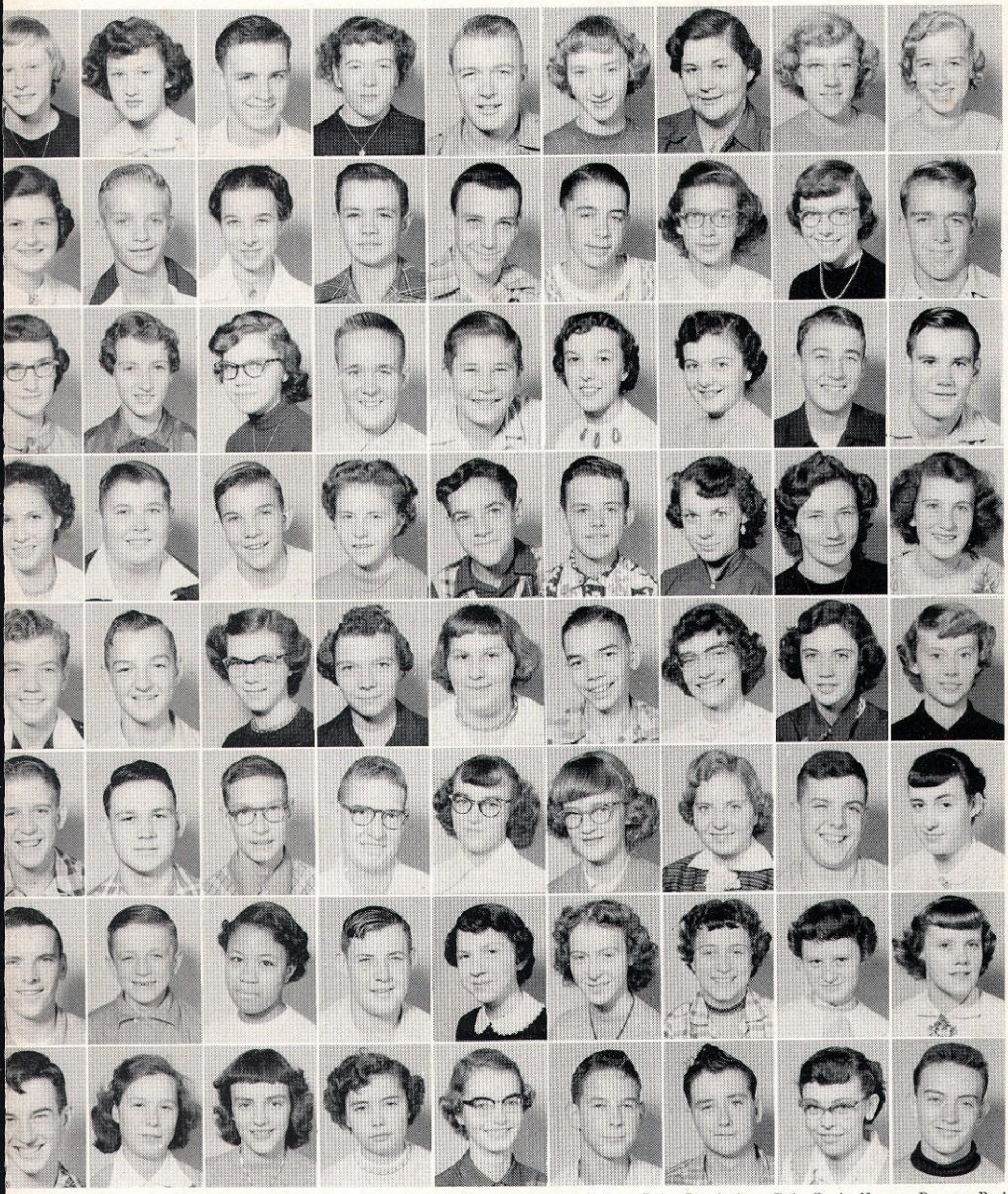

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Second row—Nell DeWitt, David Dillavou, Donna Dowling, Carrol Drake, James Drake, Larry Dudley, Mildred Duzan, Marilyn Eads, Ross Eaton.

Third row—Patricia Elam, Linda Eveland, Beverly Ewing, Thomas Feutz, Donald Foltz, Arnid Forsythe, Ida Forsythe, Thomas Geekie, Richard German.

Fourth row—Patsy Gill, Edward Gillum, Ronald Good, Bette Gosnell, Jerry Gosnell, James Gove, Joan Graham, Juanita Griffin, Linda Griffin.

Fifth row—Gary Grimes, Joe Haase, Sharon Hammer, Caryl Hardy, Edwina Hardy, Thomas Harpring, Teresa Harrison, Gwendolyn Hayes, Lois Heironimus.

Sixth row—Gerald Hennes, Ronald Hicks, David Holley, Francis Holley, Norma Hollingsworth, Norma Hout, LueEllen Howe, Noble Huff, Joan Huisinga.

Seventh row—Robert Hutson, Ray Inman, Dorothy Jackson, Malcolm Japinga, Betty Jarrell, Linda Johns, Glenna Johnson, Sharon Keltz, Donna Kemper.

Bottom row—Tom Kennedy, Helen Koontz, Linda Lahti, Dorothy Lankster, Linda Link, Wilbur Long, Connie Lynch, Marylin McCarty, Joe McCord.

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Second row—Eugene Morse, Mary Moss, Emma Nicholson, William North, Joe Ogle, Terry Parker, Joyce Pasero, Kay Payne, Rae Payne.

Third row—Sara Pearman, Donald Pennington, Kathryn Pennington, Beulah Perry, Patricia Peters, Sarah Poole, Fred Quinn, Sue Quinn, Thomas Ray.

Fourth row—John Redmon, Thomas Reed, Paul Reese, Joyce Rinesmith, David Ritter, Dale Roberts, George Roberts, James Rogers, Maris Ross.

Fifth row—Patricia Saiter, Caroline Savoree, Forrest Sawlaw, Bonnie Schiele, Helen Shanks, Virginia Shelton, Wayne Shuman, Marian Shutzbaugh, Ronald Smith.

Sixth row—Beulah Snyder, Letha Staley, Shirley Staley, Jacqueline Starbuck, Emily Step, Charles Stuck, Julian Sudduth, Sandra Sunkel, Judith Swanson.

Seventh row—Harriet Switzer, Allen Varner, Beverly Vietor, Bud Wallls, Beverly Warrick, Sarah Webb, Duane Weber, Donald Wheeler, Helen White.

Bottom row—June Whitkanack, James Willoughby, Arnold Wilson, Dixie Wilson, Kenneth Winschief, Dianne Wright, Mary Wright, Ruth Wright, William York.

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Second row—Robert Briel, Evelyn Brown, Nancy Brown, William Brown, Dean Butler, Edith Carnahan, Saundra Carpenter, Leola Carroll, Robert Caskey.

Third row—Ovid Chambers, Lois Chord, Carol Church, William Cline, Donald Cochran.

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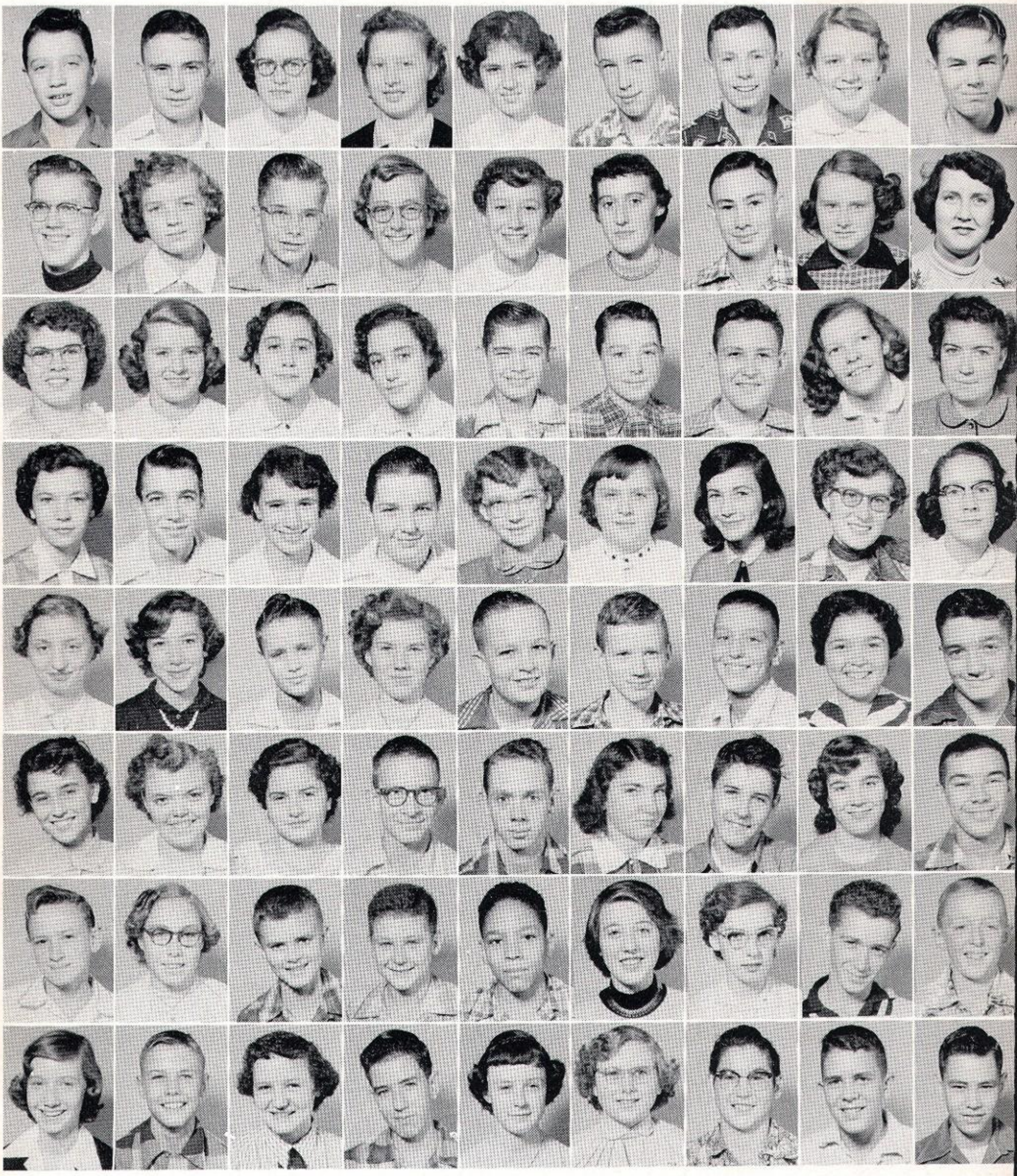

Top row, left to right—Dick Coogan, Tom Coonce, Linda Craig, Ruth Craig, Nancy Crawford, James Dillon, Paul Eller, Alice Englum, John Evard.

Second row—Ronald Farquhar, Sharon Ferguson, William Ferguson, Judy Feutz, Ruth Findley, Sandra Findley, Wayne Finley, Rosemary Fitzgerald, Leanne Flarity.

Third row—Lucille Fritz, Pat Fulton, Gay Garver, Glory Garver, Kenneth Garver, Charles Geekie, Alfred Gher, Virginia Gill, Carolyn Gillespy.

Fourth row—Carolyn Givens, Jim Givens, Henryetta Gleckler, James Glick, Harolyn Goddard, Phyllis Good, Ina Gosnell, Susie Gossett, Estella Graham.

Fifth row—Joy Griffin, Nancy Grisham, Michael Haddix, Gail Hagen, Richard Hale, Carl Hall, Lyman Hardy, Charles Harmon, Vivian Harvey.

Sixth row—Faith Henson, Marilyn Higgins, Myrna Hill, Larry Holley, Ronald Hooker, Gertrude Hooper, Forrest Horton, Norma Hughes, Norman Hughes.

Seventh row—Charles Hulen, Carolyn Hunter, Gale Hurst, Tip Irish, David Jackson, Karen Jennings, Emma Jewell, Max Johns, Charles Jones.

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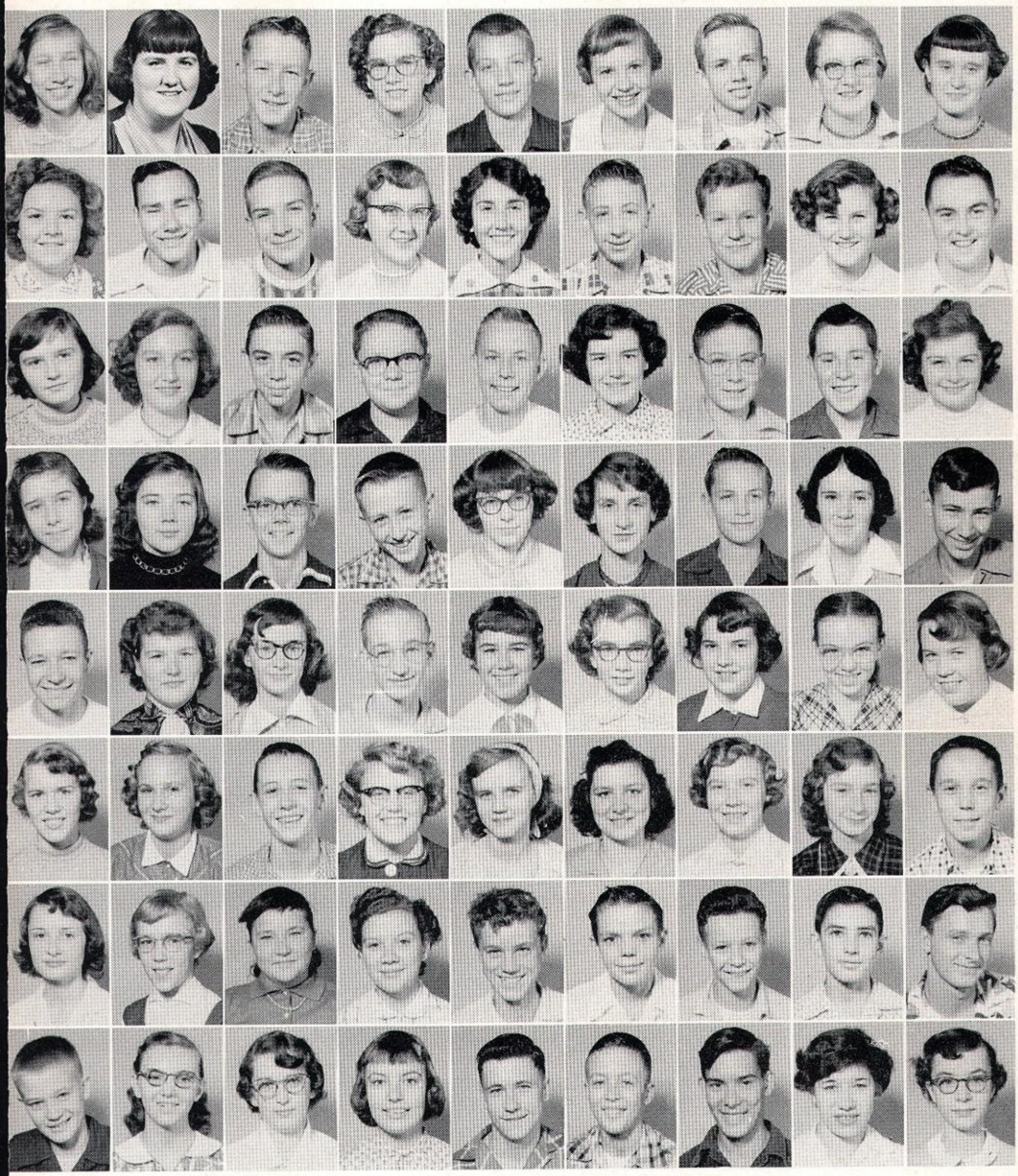


Top row, left to right—Norma Leeman, Barbara Lynch, Roscoe McClarey, Betty McCoy, David McCoy, Carol McHenry, Robert McHenry, Sharon McKnight, Madge Mason.

Second row—Linda Matthews, Charles Meeks, Jim Melton, Beverly Merritt, Sara Miller, Leroy Minesinger, Don Morecraft, Sue Myers, Allan Newman.

Third row—Beverly Nicholson, Pat O'Hair, Raymond Ogle, John Parkinson, Donald Parks, Linda Payne, Ronald Peck, Jerry Perisho, Fern Perry.

Fourth row—Nancy Peters, Wilma Potter, Sam Preston, Ivan Propst, Nancy Ralston, Martha Ramsey, James Reed, Sharon Roberts, William Savoree.

Fifth row—John Schneider, Carolyn Scott, Charlotte Scott, William Scott, Nancy Shaw, Ann Shepard, Judy Shew, Linda Shipley, Margaret Shutzbaugh.

Sixth row—Nancy Sims, Sharon Smith, Eugene Smithson, Nancy Smitley, Virginia Spencer, Betty Spillman, Irma Staley, Zella Stang, William Stotts.

Seventh row—Ann Tiffin, Joyce Titus, Sally Todd, Nancy Tolliver, Dave Tucker, Tom Utz, Bill Van Gilder, Edward Verchota, Edward Vicars.

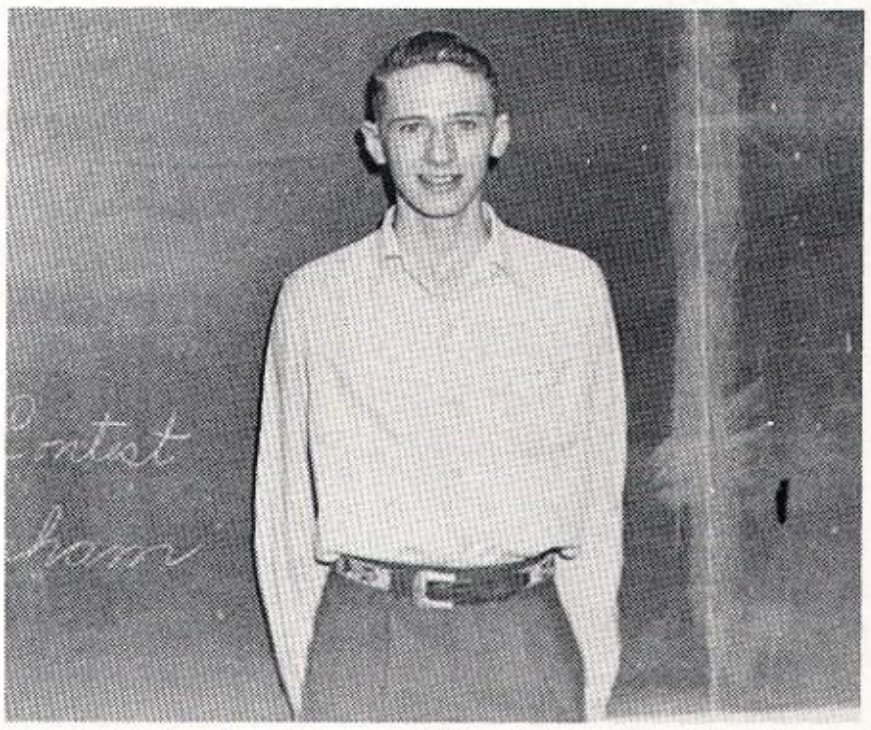
Bottom row—Herschel Vicars, Norma Walker, Firma Wallace, Marilyn Werner, James White, Ronald Whittington, Don Wilson, Edna Wilson, Julia Zimmerly.

PROMINENT INDIVIDUALS

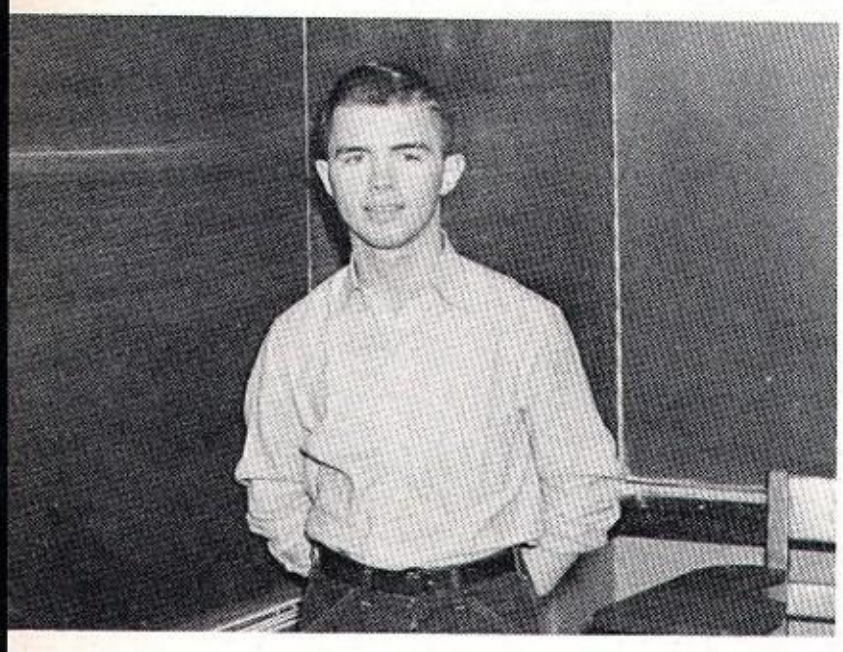
Distinctive members of the student body—the 1952-1953 Honor Roll. The Roll is made up of those who received no less than two A's and two B's in academic subjects.

In the spring Honor Students are recognized in a special Honors Day program in the auditorium.

Diane Zink received the D.A.R. Citizenship award for outstanding leadership.



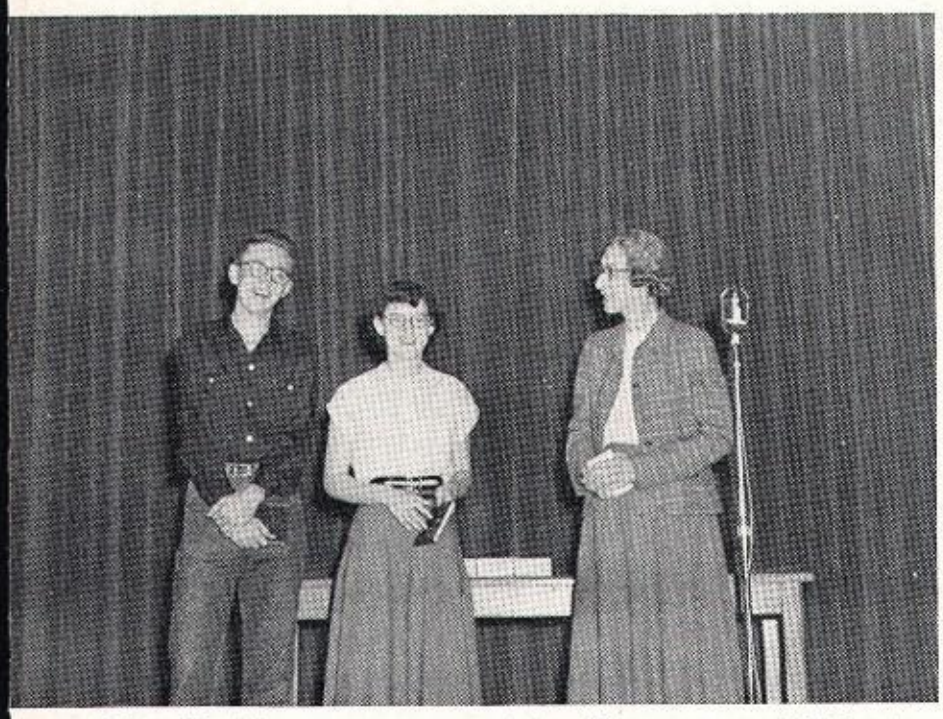
Herbert Farnham's essay, "The Value of a Free Press to a Free Nation" won first prize in the Edgar County essay contest. It also won first prize in the district essay contest sponsored by the Elks' Lodge.



Frank Clinton, second year Latin contestant, represented Paris High School in statewide competition.

Dorothy Jackson, first year Latin contestant, represented Paris High School at the district, sectional, and state Latin contest.

1953 HONOR STUDENTS



Miss Perisho presents to John Newgent and Roberta McEvoy the William Danforth Foundation award for personal development, cooperative spirit, and leadership.

"Teapot on the Rocks" placed fourth in the district speech contest. Left to right: Peggy Curl, Joe Mansfield, Herbert Farnham, Diane Zink, James Smitha, Charlotte Carnahan.

Allen Landes, outstanding senior vocational agriculture student, receives the DeKalb award presented by Mr. Smith.

Sue Toney, Eleanor Hinds, Tom Zink, and Gertrude Culpepper represented Paris in the district speech contest. Sue Toney won a second for Serious Play Reading and Tom Zink a second for a Humorous Reading.

Vocal music awards were presented to the following:

Back row, left to right—Harold Titus, Jack Slay, Dick Hess, Lynn Flarity, Eleanor Hinds, Sue Pearman, Roland Dick.

Front row—Wilma Potts, Madge Davis, Julia Owens, Shirley Ridley, Luane McHenry, Bill Thompson, Mrs. McNees.

Back row, left to right—Don Shields, John Hopper, John Bizal, Everett Hardy, Mr. Waterloo, Tom Feutz, Ronald Farquhar, Clifford Duck, David Kaiserman.

Front row—Goldie Swinford, Rachael Bizal, Martha White, Beverly Hill, Sarah Duzan, Ruth Dennison, Mary Bovell, Rosemary Cushman.

These instrumental music students won first and second place in the district competition. State finalists in 1st place were David Kaiserman (accompanied by Sarah Duzan) on bassoon and piano; Everett Hardy (accompanied by Richard Krumpeck) on trombone; Brass Quartett, composed of Cliff Duck, Ronald Farquhar, Everett Hardy, and Sarah Duzan. Second place state finalists were Donald Shields (accompanied by John Hopper) on saxophone and the Brass Quintet composed of Ronald Farquhar, Tom Feutz, Rachael Bizal, Ruth Dennison, and Goldie Swinford.

Vocal music students performed throughout the 1953-1954 year as "The Octet."

Left to right—Marlene Snearly, Letha Jane Staley, Peggy Gher, Marilyn Bess, Pat Saiter, Nancy Rhoads, Sibyl Slaughter, Lynn Jennings, Edith Conley.

Garry Grimes won first place in his appearance on the Morris B. Sack Amateur Hour radio program.

ATHLETIC HONORS

Sam Doak (football) and Mike Barr (basketball and track) receive the U.O. Colson award to senior boys of outstanding athletic ability from Mr. Jenkins.

Methodist Men's Club Good Sportsmanship award goes to Denny Collier and Ezra Smithson for basketball.

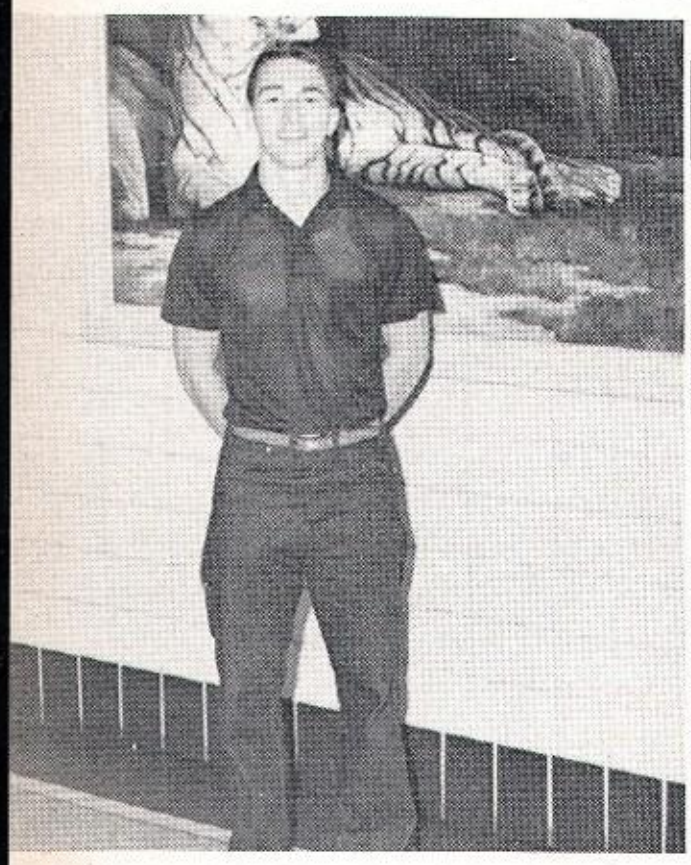
Mr. Wittick presents to Clark Dorsett the Methodist Men's Club Good Sportsmanship award for football at a special banquet.

Phyllis Findley receives 1st state G.A.A. award from Miss Finke.

G.A.A. Sportsmanship award is presented to Julia Owens at the May Fete by Peggy Curl.

ATHLETIC

TIGER TWIRLERS
Left to right—Mildred Duzan, Carolyn Savoree, Marjorie Judy, and Rosemary Cushman.



Clem Edwards Award—Most Valuable Player
Senior Athlete: Mike Barr

Most Valuable Player with the Richard Foley Plaque, John Bunnell

Bristow Free Throw
Ezra Smithson

Awards to the Freshman Relay track team.
Left to right—Dyke Davis, Ronald Basquette, Tom Kennedy, and Tom Reed.

HONORS

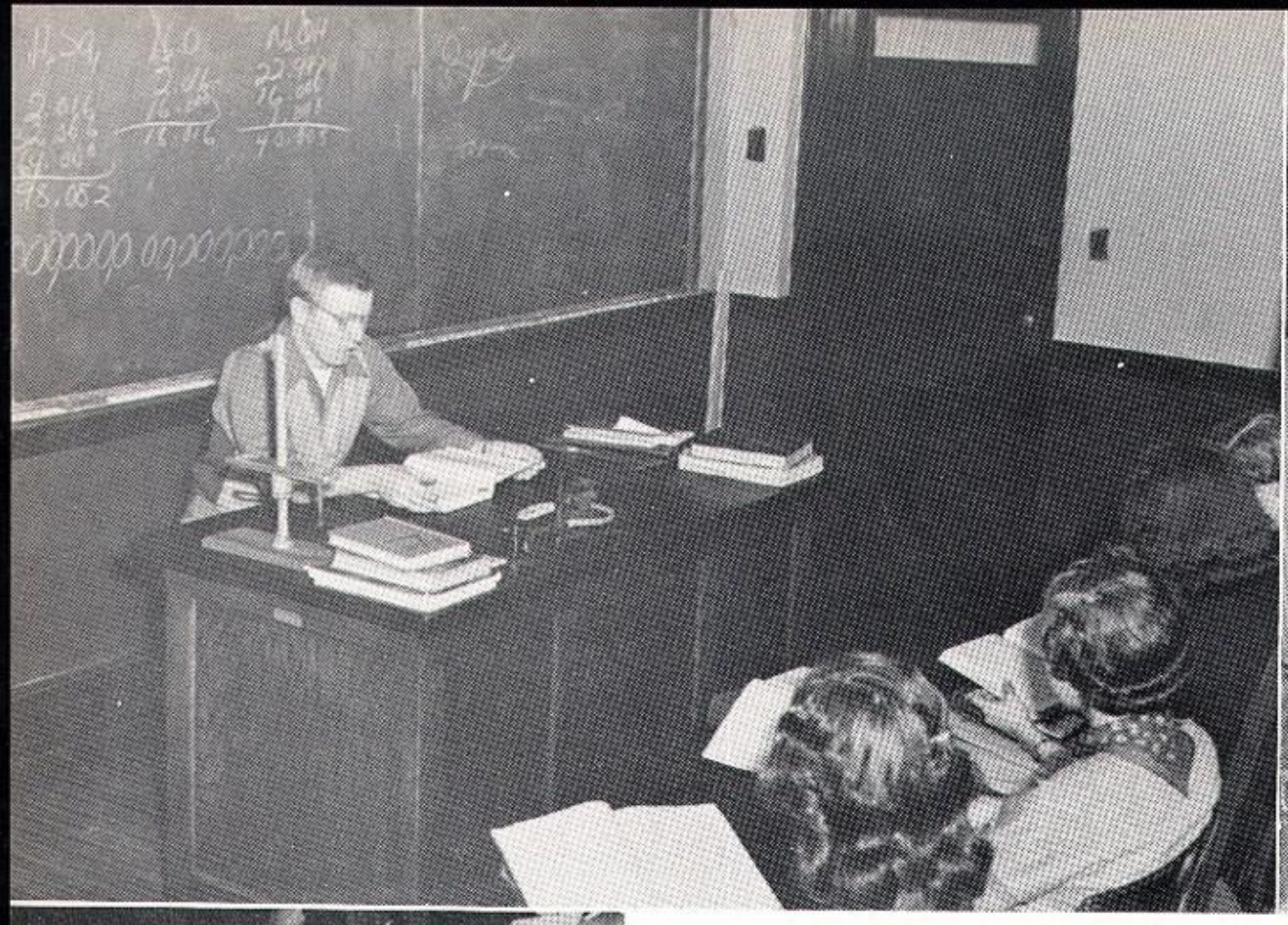
Second state awards go to G.A.A. girls, Luanne McHenry, Julia Owens, and Shirley Kroenung.

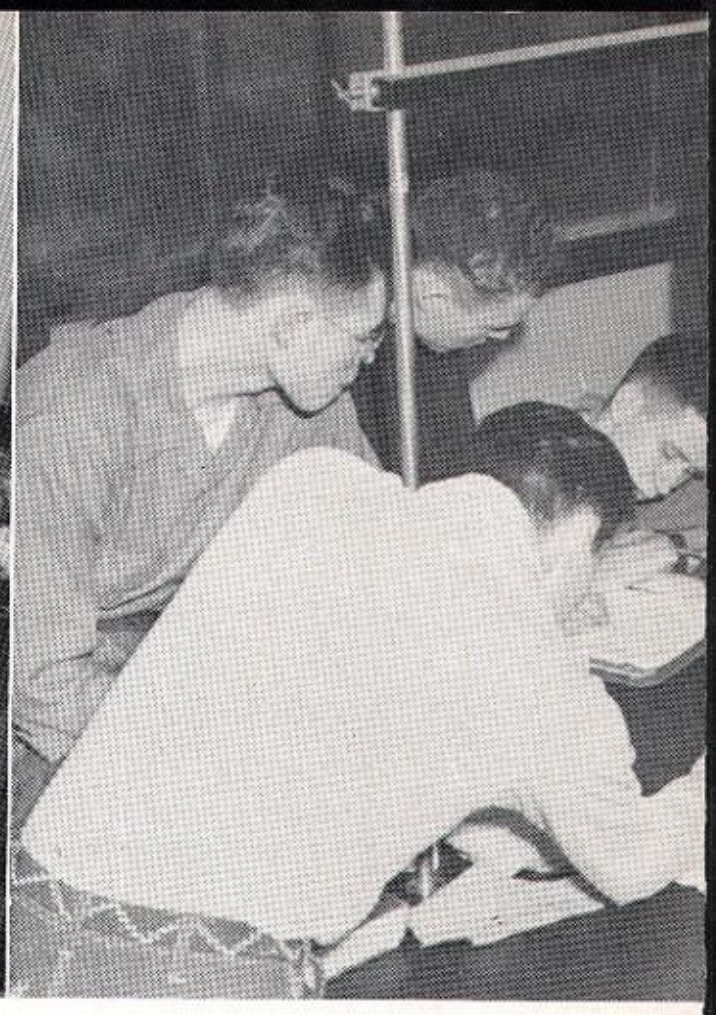
Second year awards presented by Miss Finke to five G.A.A. actives.
Left to right—Sharon Jones, Beth Pinnell, Vada Swinford, Rachael Bizal, Carol Lowry, and Miss Finke.

Freshman-Sophomore track relay teams receive the season's trophies.
Left to right—Julian Sudduth, Dyke Davis, Richard Boyer, Jack Runyan, Tom Reed, and Ronald Basquette.

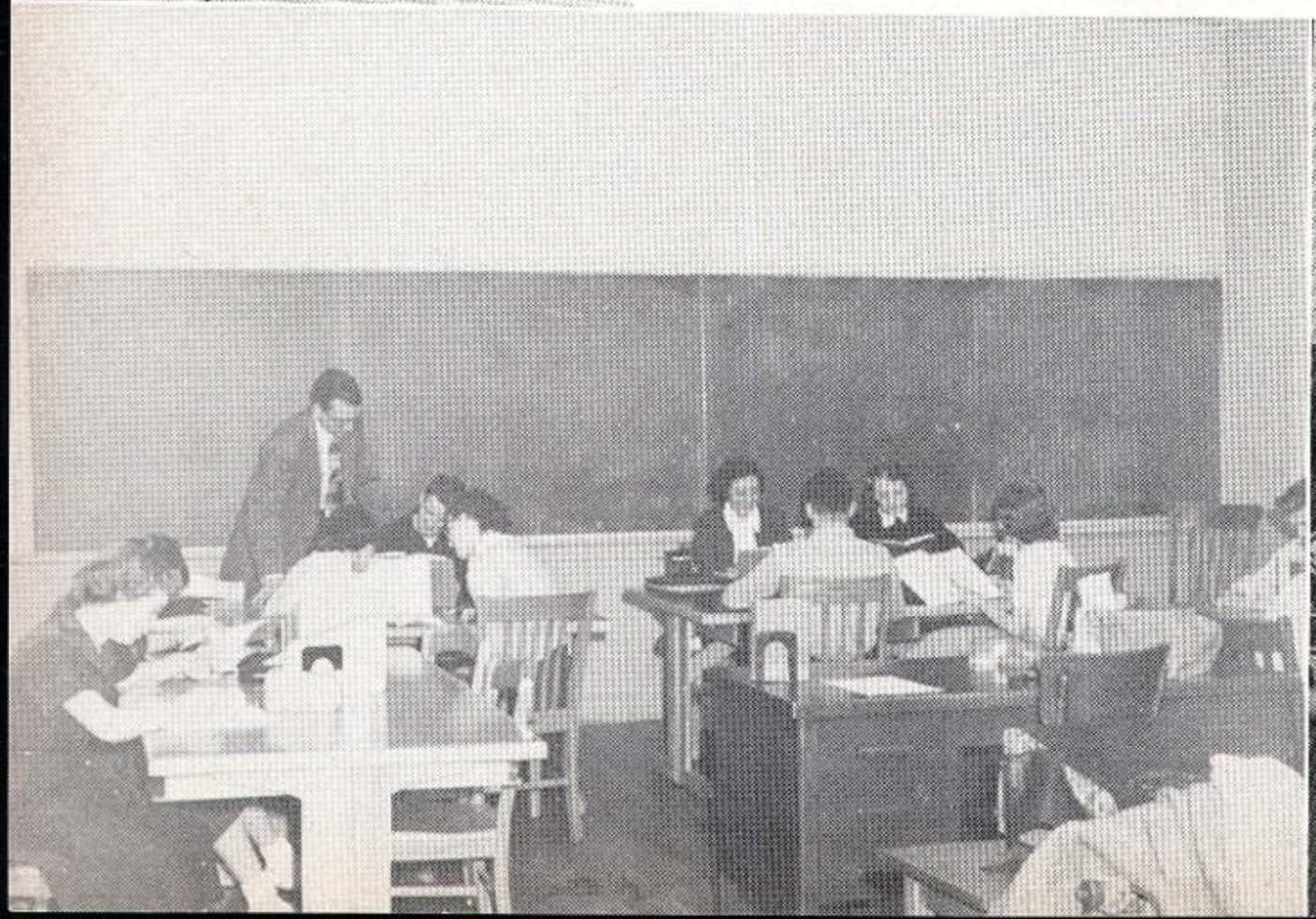
Reserve cheerleaders, Ray Payne, Sara Pearman, Dixie Wilson, and Janet Querry.

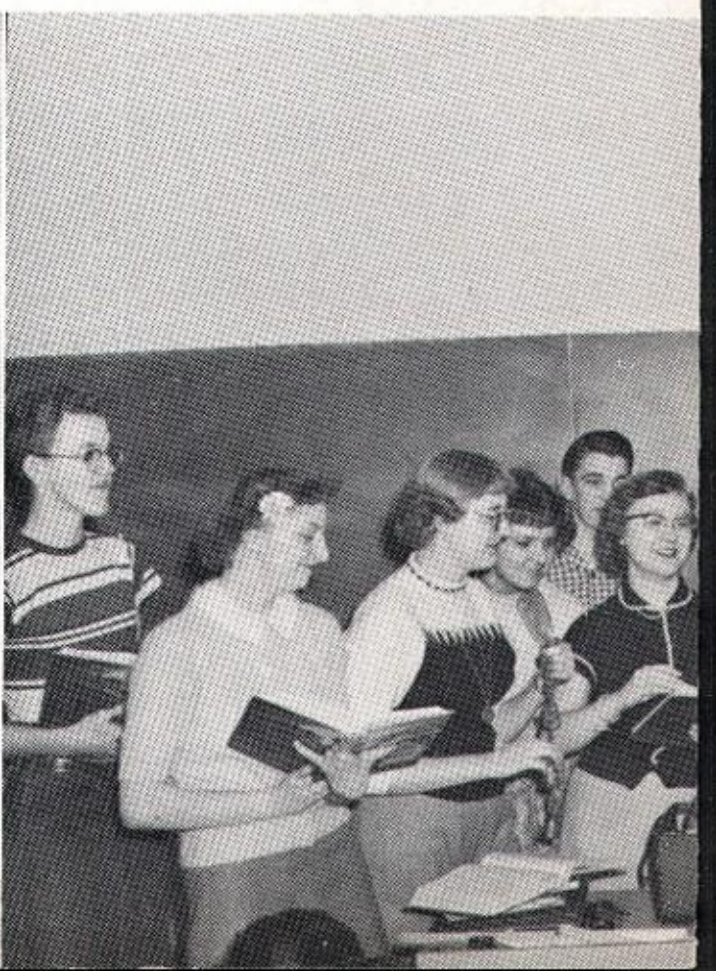
Varsity cheerleaders, Delores Wilhoit, Linda Eveland, Dianne Wilhoit, Sandra Findley.

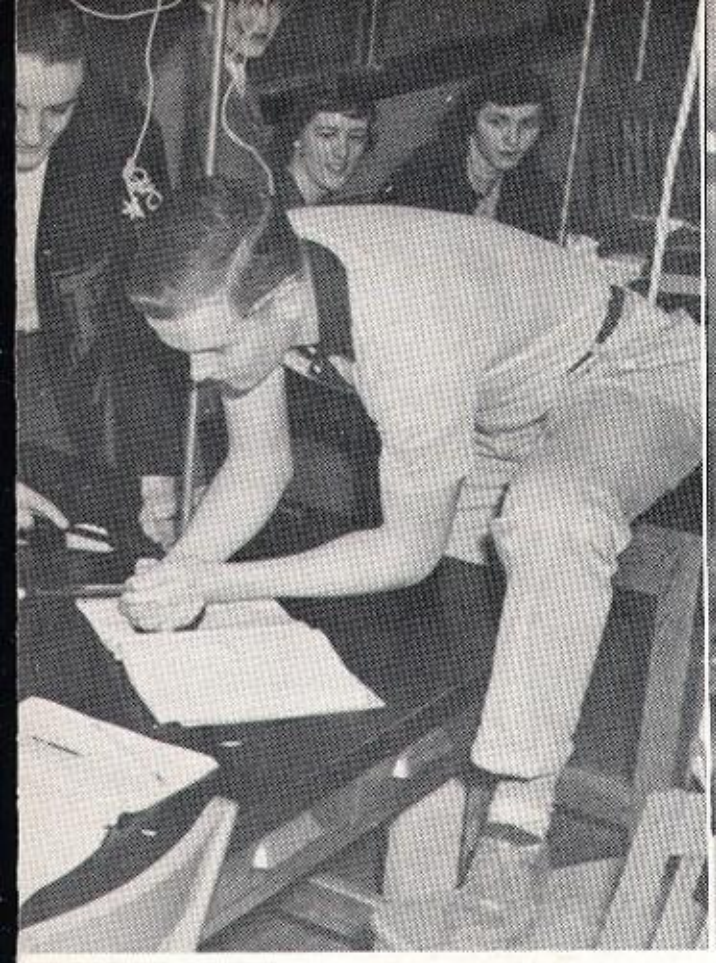


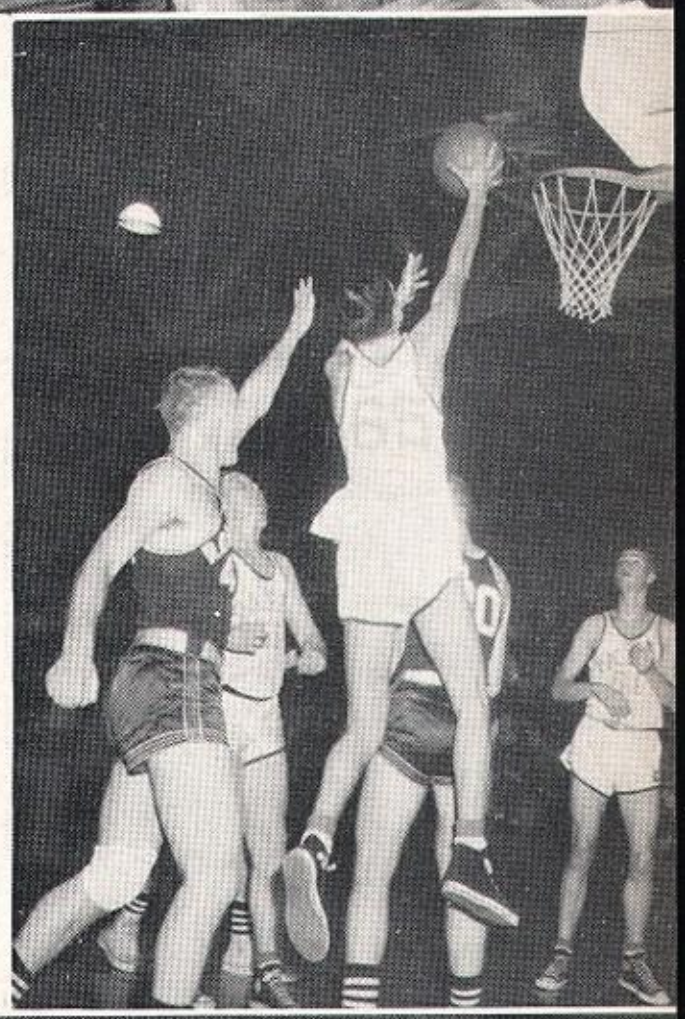


Daily Life

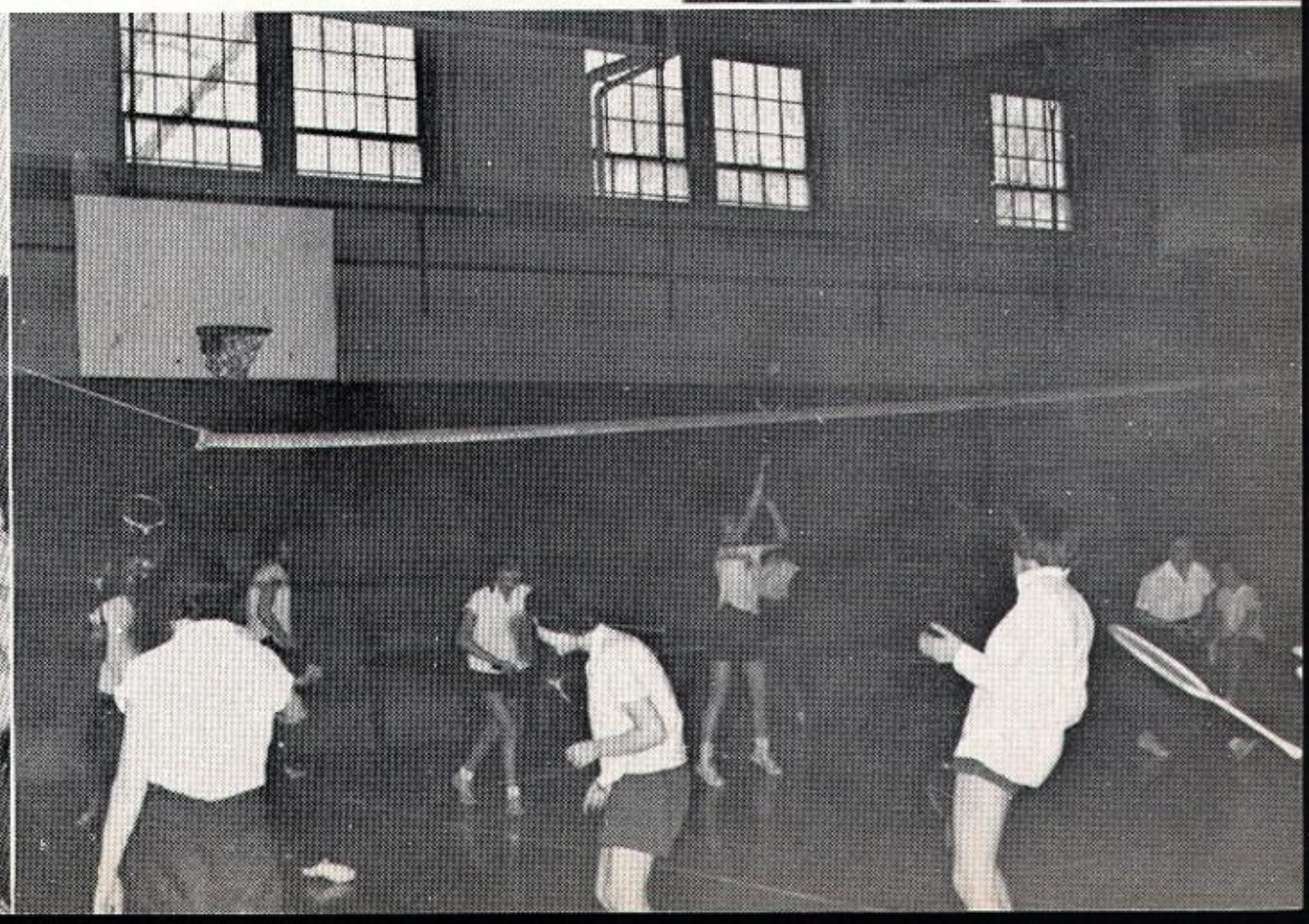








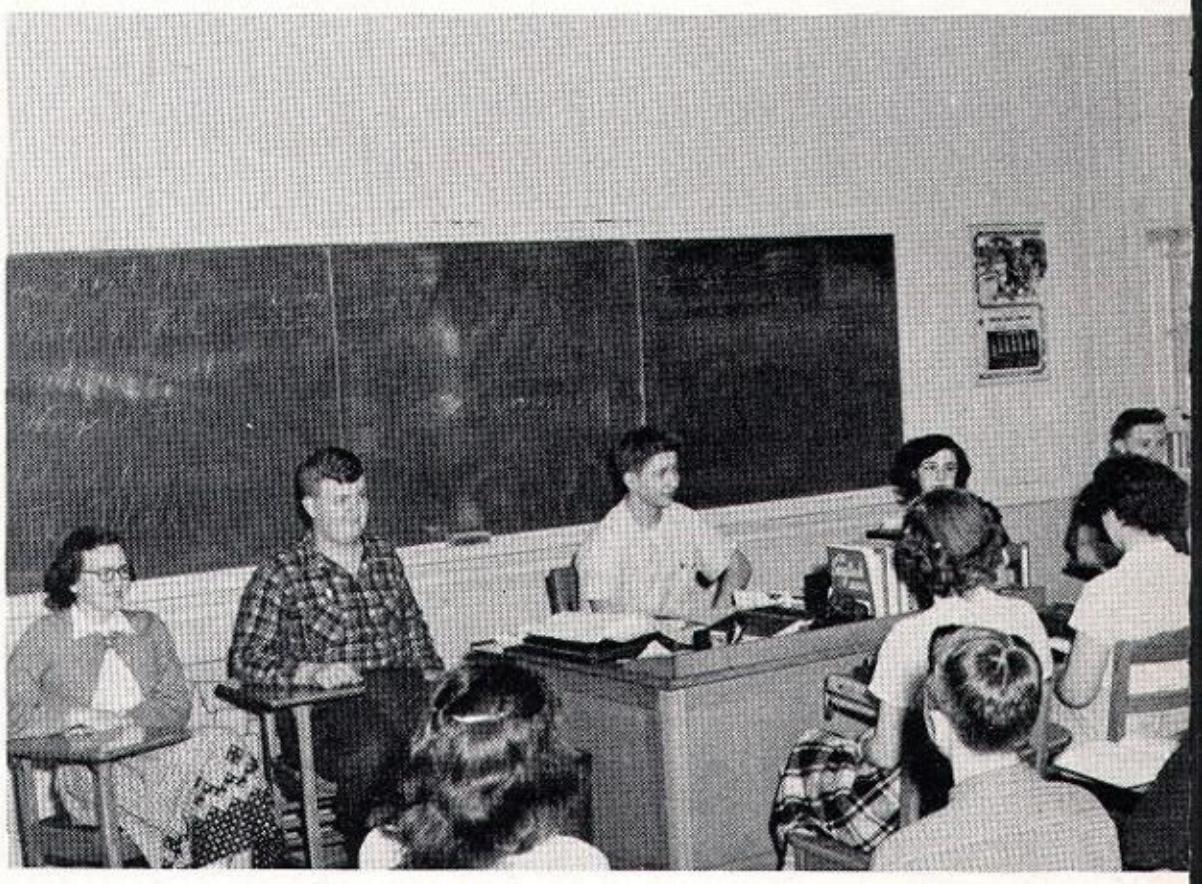
In Paris



LANGUAGE

A junior class gives a radio program based on vocabulary study.

Three years of English and a fourth year of English, speech, or journalism are required subjects for all students.



A freshman class practices oral expression in a panel discussion.

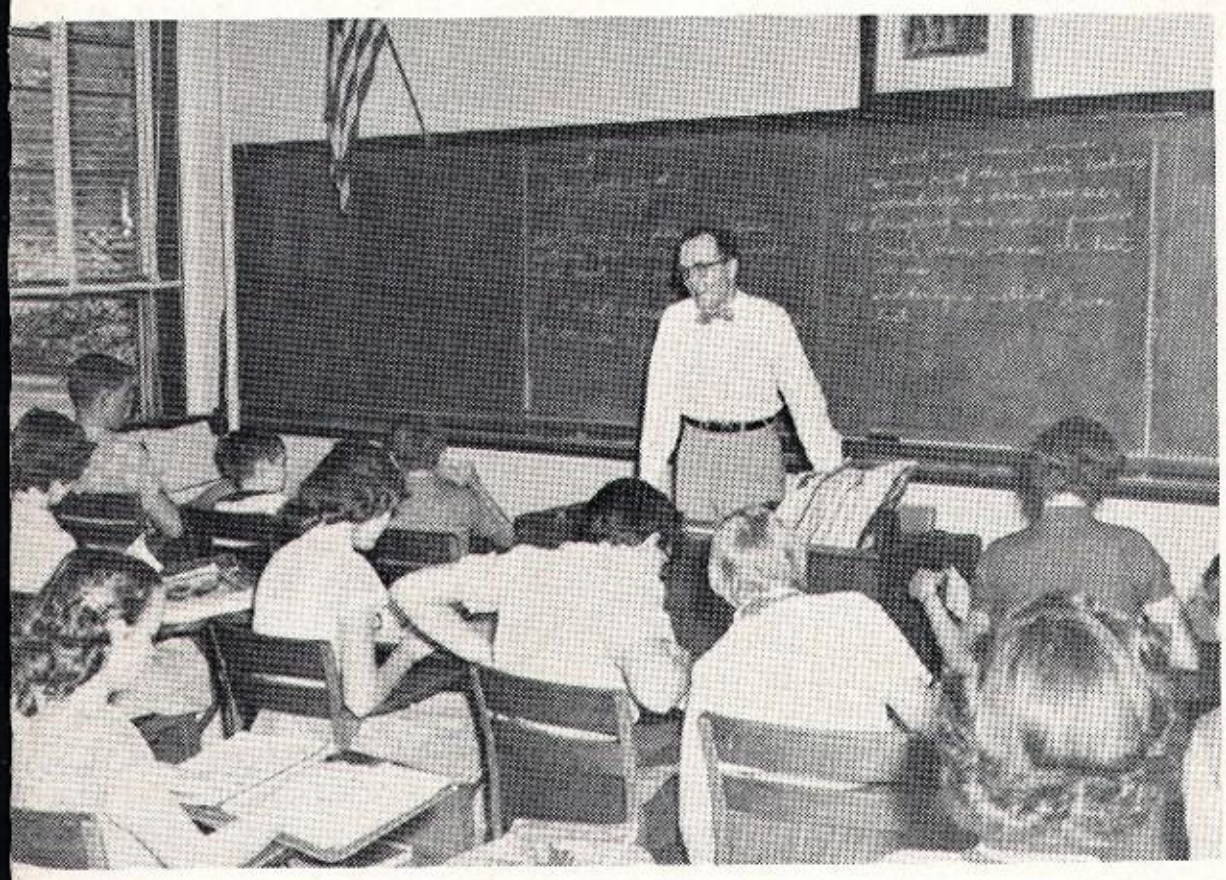
There is a comprehensive reading program each year.

ARTS

INSTRUCTORS

Miss Cleland
Miss Farrell
Mrs. Francis
Miss Greenman (second semester)
Miss Hochstrasser
Mrs. Kern (first semester)
Mr. Mattingly
Mr. Tucker

A junior class makes a tape recording from their own compositions.



A sophomore class grapples with grammar.

The journalism class assembles material for *Tiger Tales*.

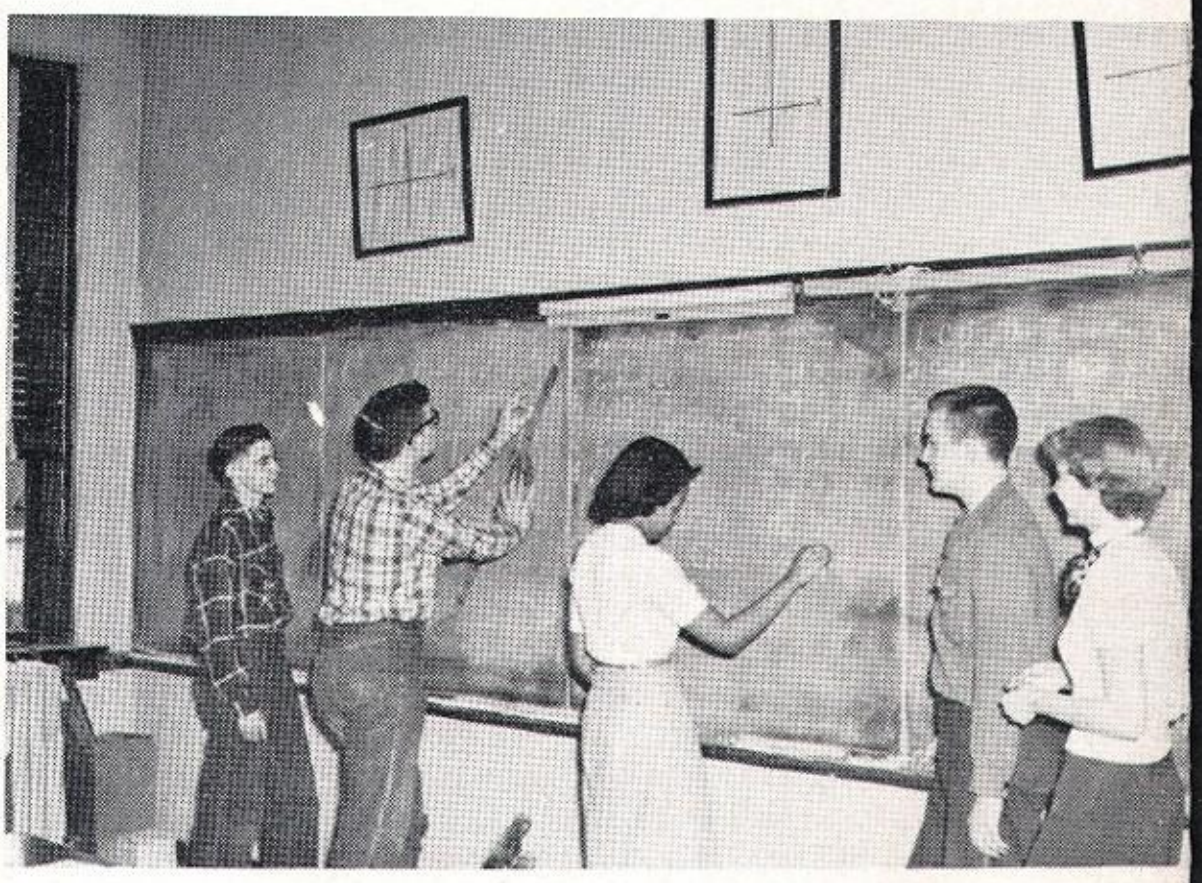
MATHEMATICS AND

INSTRUCTORS

Mr. Jones
Mr. Moss
Mr. Stevens

One year of mathematics is required.

Freshmen study Algebra.



Sophomores prove theorems in geometry.

Freshman general science students observe the reduction of barometric pressure.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE

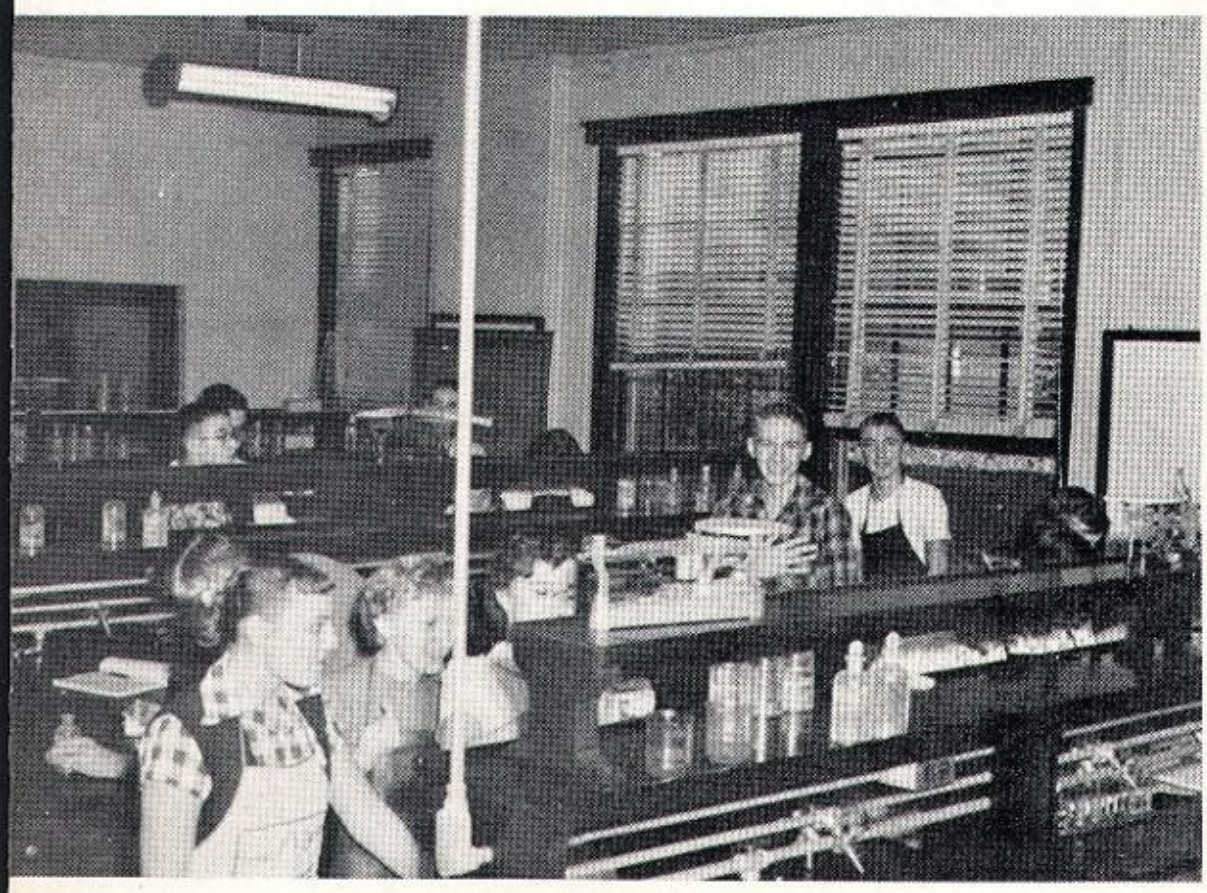
INSTRUCTORS

Mr. Cooley
Mr. Gibson
Mrs. Hesler

One year's study of general science is required.

Dissection in biology class.

Testing for electricity in physics laboratory.



Experimenting in chemistry laboratory.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Each student works out a project in American history class.

INSTRUCTORS

Mr. Herron
Mrs. Kerrick
Mr. Johnson
Mr. Stabler
Mr. Sweeley

Students are required to take world history, American history, and social problems.

Acquiring the habit of reading widely to become well informed citizens.

Statehood for Hawaii is up for study in social problems class.

County Judge Howard Ruff visits Mr. Johnson's American history class to speak about court procedures and jurisdictions.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

INSTRUCTORS

Miss Farrell
Miss Greenman (second semester)
Mrs. Kern (first semester)

Eager to recite in Latin class.

Two years of French are offered.

Latin students inspect the map of Rome.

In the process of absorbing Spanish.

VOCAL MUSIC

INSTRUCTOR
Mrs. McNees

Vocal music students sing Christmas carols in the corridors.

Treble Cleff, Boys' Chorus, Mixed Chorus, and Girls' Glee Club presented the Sunday afternoon Vespers service on December 13.

All music groups participated in the Spring Festival.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

INSTRUCTOR

Mr. Waterloo

The Marching Band

New uniforms were presented to the Band this year by the School Board at the cost of $4,313.54. These "three-way" uniforms are made of black whipcord and trimmed with orange cloth. The reversible chest tab, with an emblem of a tiger on one side and a five row soutache design on the other, make possible the "three-way" change. Hats have an orange plume with a black background. The 72 uniforms (first purchase in twelve years) will be kept in the newly built wardrobe room.

The Band

Top row, left to right—Richard Jones, Garry Grimes, Frank Clinton, Sharon Smith, Ruth Smithson, Goldie Swinford.

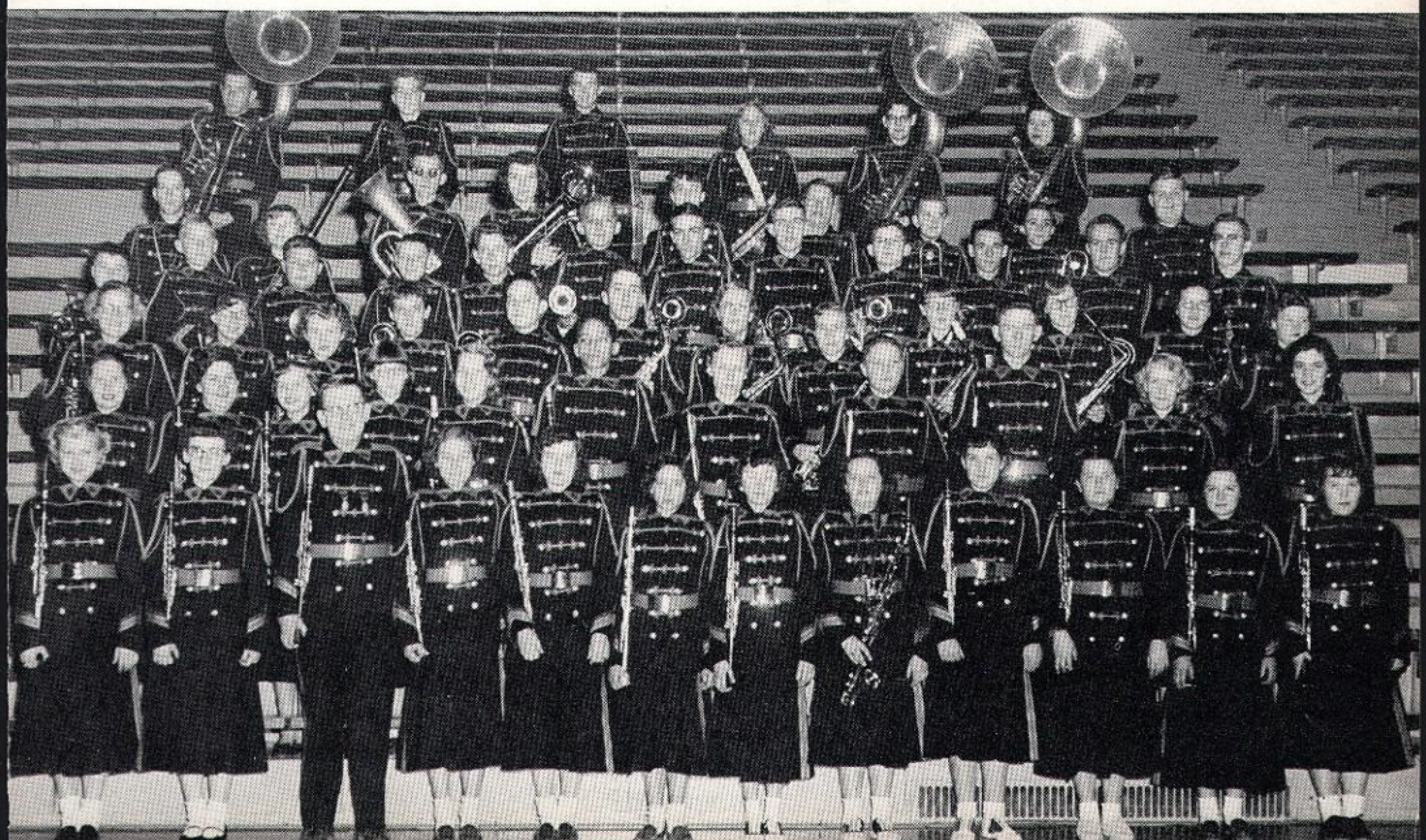
Second row—David Kaiserman, Norma Kirby, John Cassidy, Caryl Hardy, Faith Henson, David Blaker, Robert Farquhar, Carroll Hartley, Jim Beck.

Third row—Edmund Lashmit, Lindy Hollis, Denny Ogle, Dorley Dodd, Joe Bangiolo, Bob Puterbaugh, Louis Hallman, Richard Blaker, Lloyd Adams, J. W. Hartley, Tom Feutz, Ronald Farguhar.

Fourth row—Rachael Bizal, Mildred Duzan, Carolyn Savoree, Joy McDaniel, Ned Forcum, Don Shields, Judy Feutz, Irma Calloway, Sharon Hall, Shirley Staley, Linda Lou Craig, Sandra Bennett.

Fifth row—Marjorie Ogle, Pauletta Dawson, Carol McHenry, Nancy Ralston, Carolyn Hall, David Jackson, Virginia Lowry, John Parkinson, Dale Roberts, Vineta Randolph, Gwendolyn Hayes.

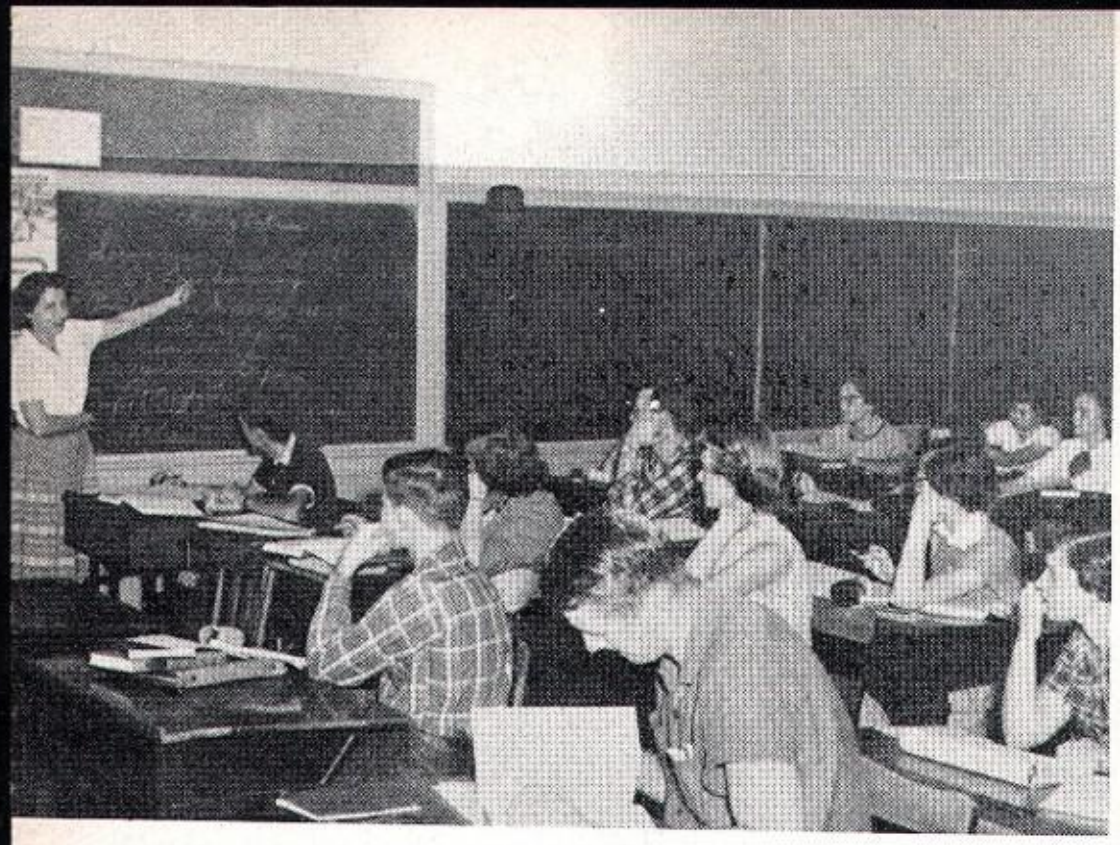
Bottom row—Rosemary Cushman, Martha White, John Hopper, Shirley Simpson, Marjorie Judy, Cecilia Bangiolo, Sandra Kvasknicka, Ruth Murphy, Sandra Bledso, Sally Todd, Fern Perry, Margaret Shutzbaugh.



BUSINESS EDUCATION

INSTRUCTORS

Mr. Eggleston
Mr. Lashmet
Mr. Mattingly
Mrs. Riedell

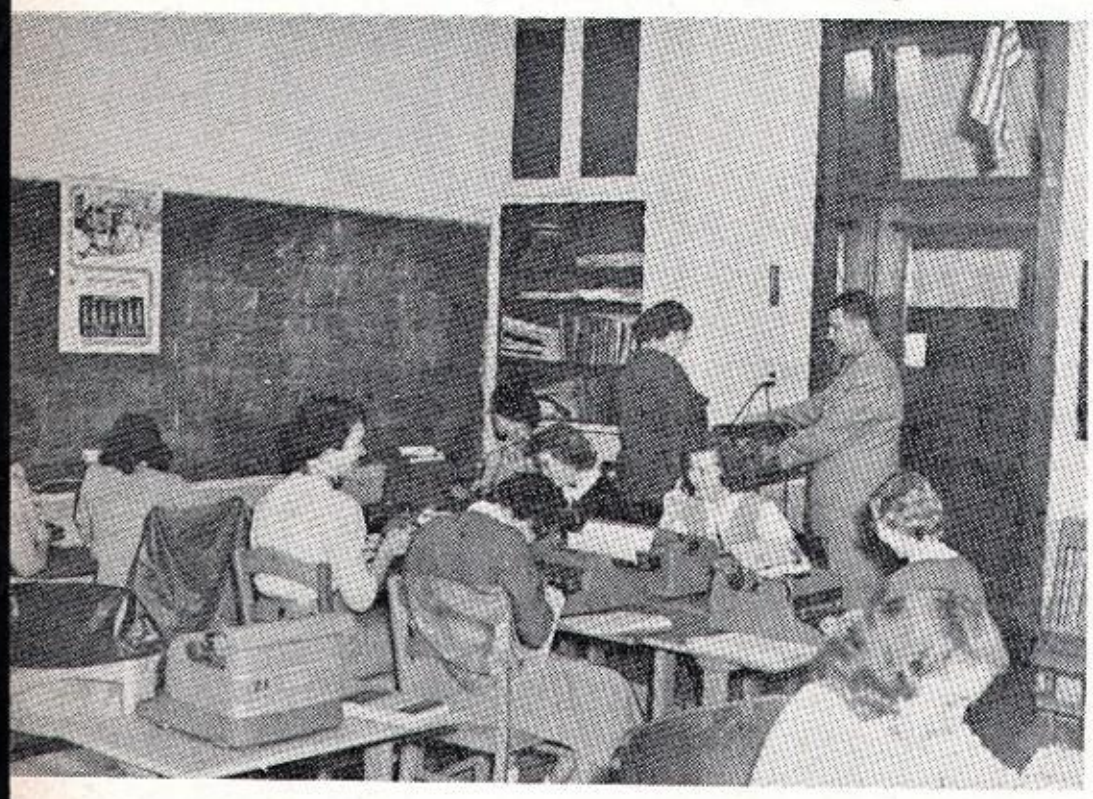


The bookkeeping class studies the principles of correct entries.

Bernie Halloran gets practical experience in department store stock work at Root's under the supervision of Mr. Bartlett.

Two years of typing are offered.

Clerical office practice class gains skill in the use of equipment.



Shorthand is studied for two years by those interested in secretarial work.

Hilda Ayres learns window dressing at Penny's from Mr. Cass.

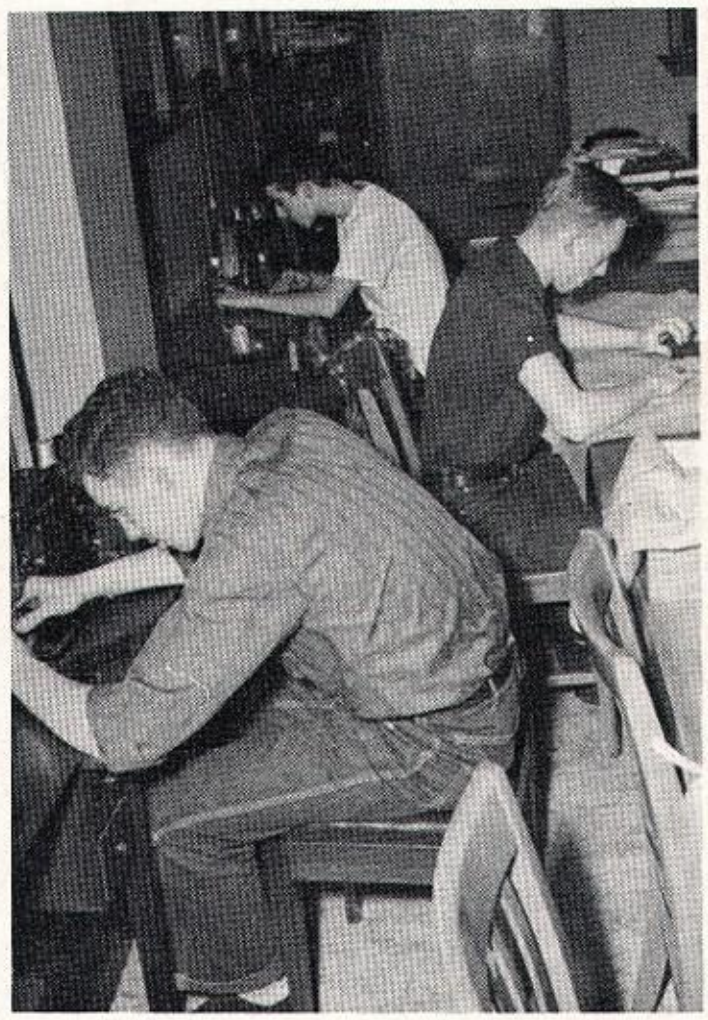
HOME ECONOMICS

INSTRUCTORS

Mrs. Bizal
Miss Perisho

Boys' class in Home Economics. Second year the course has been offered.

Practical experience in a well-equipped kitchen.



Boys learn to make shirts on sewing machines.

Preparing to fry oysters.

TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION

INSTRUCTORS

Mr. Day
Mr. Moss
Mr. Wallace

Mechanical Drawing

Learning the fundamentals of shop work.

Allen Gardner does auto painting at the Ford garage under the supervision of Mr. Ellis

Shirley Henson practices hairdressing at the Wade Beauty Shop with Mrs. Wade.

Bill Francis learns lithography at U. O. Colson Company with the help of Mr. Kienast.

Mr. Wallace guides the D.O. class in learning material related to their individual occupation.

AGRICULTURE

INSTRUCTOR: Mr. Smith

Practice in welding in agriculture shop.

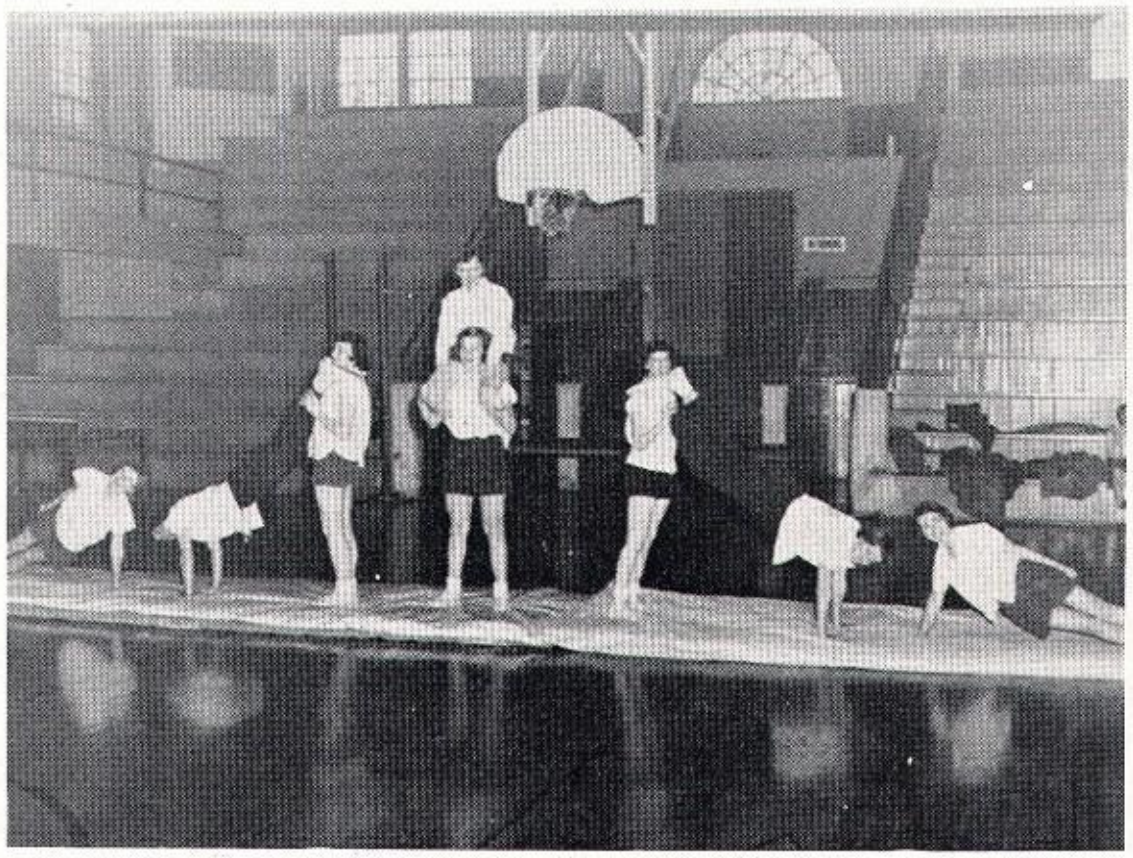
Giving Edgar County close study in agriculture classroom.

A field trip to a nearby dairy farm.

PHYSICAL

Basketball

Folk Dancing



Tumbling

INSTRUCTOR:

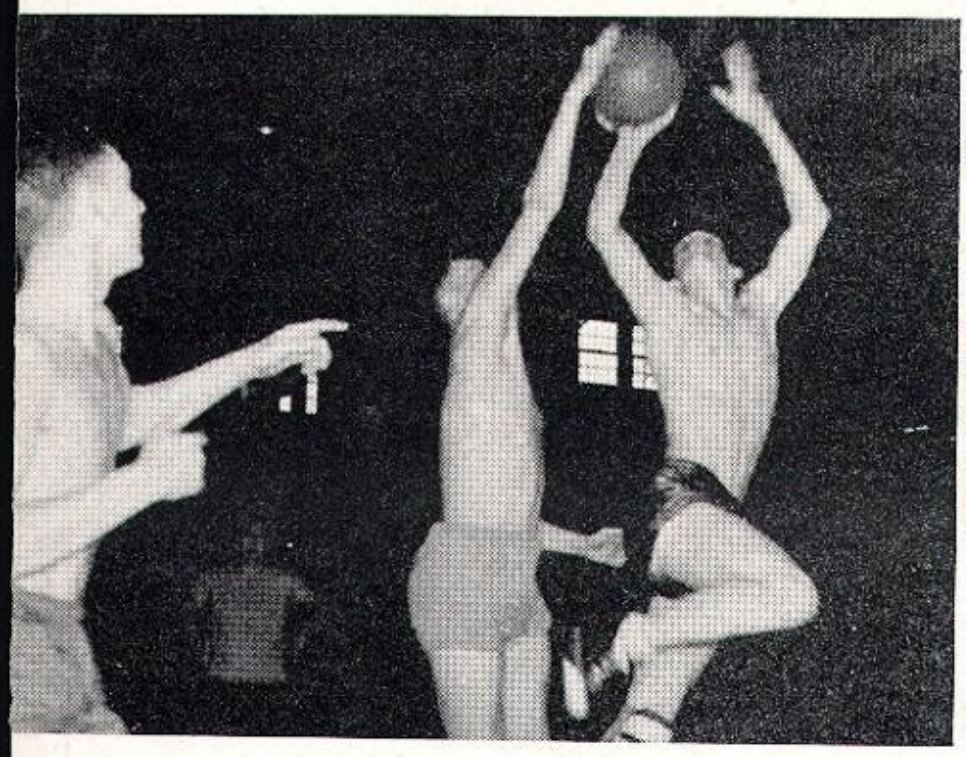
Mrs. Findley

Marching

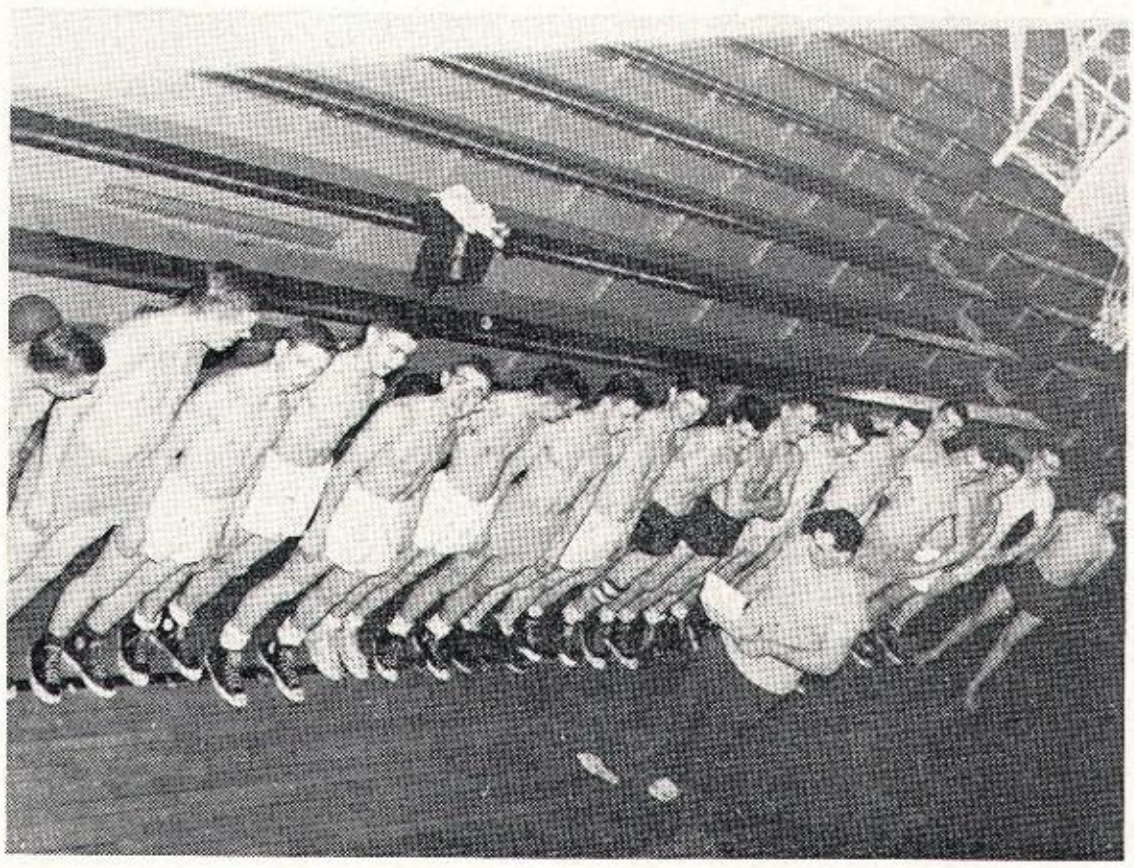
Dancing

EDUCATION

Basketball



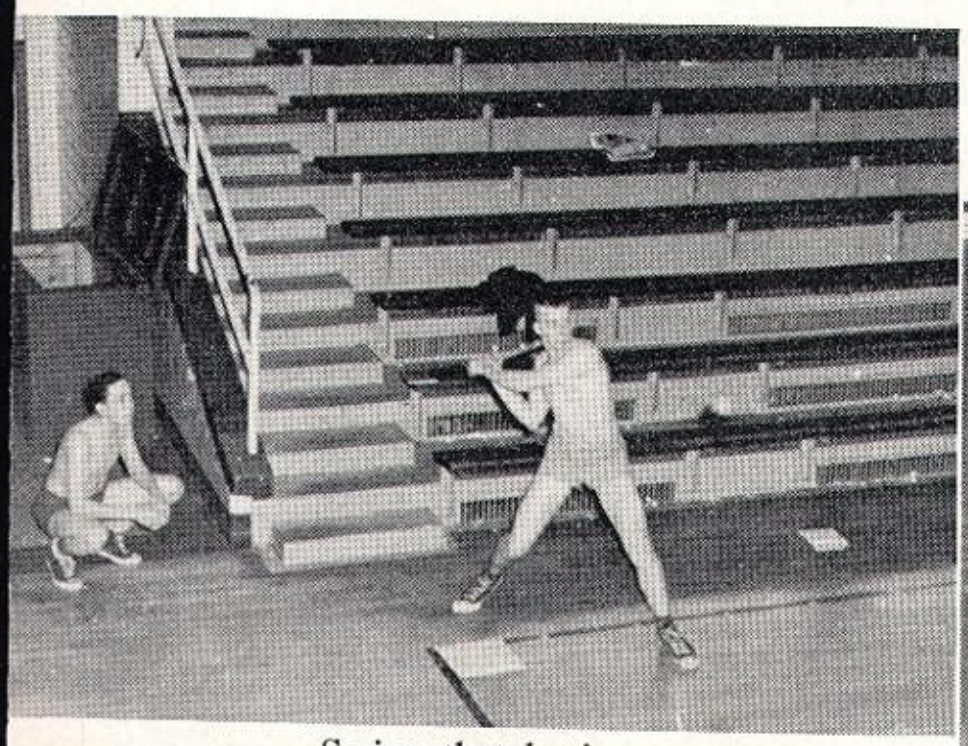
Fleece Ball



Lined up for Roll Call.

INSTRUCTORS:

Coach Eveland
Mr. Garland
Mr. Herron
Mr. Johnson
Mr. Stevens
Coach Stabler



Swing that bat!

Calisthenics

First table, left to right—Phyllis Findley, Ruth Smithson, Sally Jarrell, Georganna Blume, Judy Swanson, Kay Payne, Lois Heironimus, Nancy Sims, Nancy Shaw, Gail Hagen, Beverly Merritt, Wreatha Knight.

Second table—David Dillavou, Jim Beck, Bob Dennison, Dixie Wallace, Frank Clinton, Denny Grant, Ron Farquhar.

Standing, left to right—Mr. Moss, Mr. Mattingly, Mrs. Kerrick, Mickey Harvey, Kay Ann Babb, John Bunnell, Edith Conley, Dale Roberts, Bill Cash, Tony Meeks, Bob Runyan, Denny Davidson.

STUDENT COUNCIL

OFFICERS

President.....Mickey Harvey
Vice-President.....Edith Conley
Secretary.....John Bunnell
Treasurer.....Kay Ann Babb

SPONSORS

Mrs. Kerrick
Mr. Mattingly
Mr. Moss

The Student Council provides a representative organization to sponsor all-school functions. It is composed of officers chosen in the spring and representatives from each homeroom elected in the fall. General meetings are called as needed.

During October the Council sponsored the Homecoming festivities, and under its auspices the Talent Show was presented in December. Christmas was celebrated with the help of the Student Council, which planned the Christmas program and arranged for the decorating of the Christmas tree in the Study Hall and the doors of the classrooms. The first dance of the year, the Kick-Off Dance, and a Spring Dance were additional projects.

TIGER TALES

A system of revolving editors under the sponsorship of Mr. Tucker, journalism instructor, resulted in the monthly publication of the school paper. *Tiger Tales* provides a channel for accurate, timely, and informative news items, as well as a forum for student expression, at no cost to the student body.

Front row, left to right—Marjorie Judy, Evelyn Nebergall, Shirley McCoy, Sibyl Slaughter, Sharon Gayer, Sarah Luth, Martha Willoughby.

Back row—Mr. Tucker, Allen Gardner, Clark Dorsett, Gerald Marchant, Clara Ross, Pat Bright, Phyllis Mattingly.

THE ARENA STAFF

OFFICERS

Editor-in-Chief.....Martha White
Co-Editors.....Geraldine Day
Ann Foley
Business Manager.....Mary McNelly
Photographer.....Tom Zink

SPONSOR

Miss Cleland

Members of the Arena Staff

Volunteer members of the senior class aid in preparing, publishing, and distributing the yearly *Arena,* the pictorial record of school life.

PUBLICATIONS FINANCIAL STAFF

Members of the Publications Financial Staff.

STUDENT MANAGERS

Mary Kay Sexton
Dorothy Tobey

SPONSOR

Mr. Lashmet

While putting into practice the fundamentals of selling and of managing concessions, it is the responsibility of the Publications Financial Staff to raise money to underwrite the printing costs of the *Arena* and *Tiger Tales.* The student body thus is relieved of any charge for the paper and is able to buy the yearbook at a price considerably below cost. Members of the Staff are present at all athletic events to serve the refreshment needs of the spectators.

On duty at a basketball game.

Seniors who are members of the Book Club.

THE BOOK

The Book Club is composed of members of Miss Hochstrasser's junior and senior English classes in the interest of wider and more appreciative reading.

Under the sponsorship of the Book Club the student body in October heard Dr. Charles Coleman lecture on "The Lincoln Family in Illinois." Later Miss Katherine Bishop and Miss Jessie Ewing addressed the club on the same subject. The climax of the interest in Lincoln was the club's Christmas gift to a Navajo school of a book on this great man and a framed portrait of him.

In November Miss LaRue Dayton spoke to the members on the "Life of Samuel Johnson" and Dr. Allen D. Albert addressed the group at their Christmas party. Later he played host to the club at the Swope Art Gallery in Terre Haute. In the spring a delegation visited Mrs. Mary Painter Randall, author of "Mary Lincoln," at her home in Champaign.

Miss Dayton discusses Dr. Johnson.

Miss Martha Logan spoke to the club in April 1953 on Spanish culture.

Before the Lincoln marker on the court house lawn.

Guests of Mrs. Randall.

CLUB

OFFICERS

President.....Peggy Gher
Vice-President.....Rosanna Green
Secretary.....Linda Sunkel
Treasurer.....Frank Clinton
Program Chairman.....Mary McNelly
Committee.....Ted Adams and Tom Trogdon

SPONSOR

Miss Hochstrasser

Juniors who are members of the Book Club.

Dr. Allen D. Albert entertains at the Christmas party.

Mrs. Bryan, school librarian, and Mrs. Russell, city librarian, serve the punch at the Christmas party.

THE BIBLE CLUB

The newly organized, non-sectarian Bible Club, under the sponsorship of Mr. Tucker, reads and discusses the greatest Book of all.

Founded in December 1953, the Club meets once a week during the noon hour and is open to any interested member of the student body. The Club celebrated Christmas by painting two rooms in the home of a disabled Paris resident.

OFFICERS

President.....Vineta Randolph
Vice-President.....Shirley Simpson
Secretary.....Ruth Smithson
Songleader.....Marlene Snearly

SPONSOR: Mr. Tucker

Members of the Bible Club.

Members of the Dramatics Club

THE DRAMATICS CLUB

OFFICERS

President.....Bill Sandilands
Vice-President.....Linda Sunkel
Secretary.....Ann Foley
Treasurer.....Nancy Rhoads

SPONSOR

Mr. Tucker

Open to all footlight enthusiasts, the Dramatics Club meets every other week with Mr. Tucker, speech instructor and play director.

The year's program featured a variety of activities. Hallowe'en was celebrated with a party in the girls' gym that ended in an old-fashioned square dance. To mark Christmas, the Club held a candlelight program followed by a round of caroling through the community in the frosty night. After trying their wings in their own private Variety Show in January and gaining some pointers by a trip to Indiana State Teachers' College to see a production of "The Curious Savage," the Dramatics Club emerged full-fledged before the public in three one-act plays presented in the high school auditorium. The Spring Banquet for the membership concluded the year's events.

Bobbing for apples at the Hallowe'en party.

Hallowe'en masquerade of bobby-soxers.

It's almost curtain time for the student-directed one-act plays.

THESPIANS

OFFICERS

President.....Roland Dick
Vice-President.....Tom Trogdon
Secretary.....Geraldine Day
Treasurer.....Larry Smith

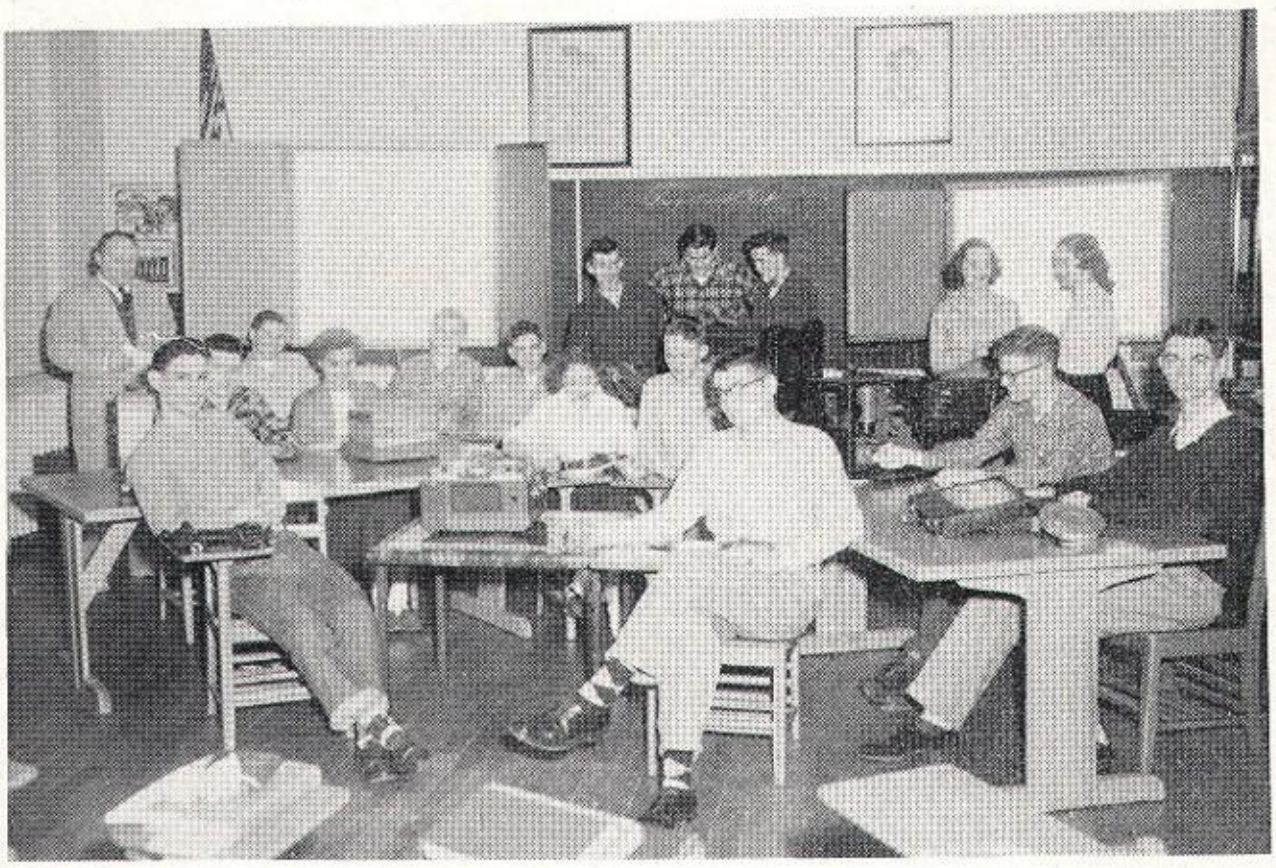
SPONSOR

Mr. Tucker

Left to right—Larry Smith, Georganna Blume, Mr. Tucker, Geraldine Day, Peggy Gher, Herbert Farnham, John Stanley, Tom Trogdon, Roland Dick.
Prone—Tom Zink.

Thespians is a local branch of the national dramatics honorary. Membership is honorary by virture of outstanding ability in the Dramatics Club. Meetings are occasional.

PROJECTION CLUB



Left to right—M. Spillman, J. Huffman, Mr. Johnson, T. Meeks, J. Pasero, D. Grant, J. Bristow, P. Slaughter, Ed Gillum, L. Smith, J. Bittner, L. Sunkel, D. Roberts, T. Zink.
Center—T. Trogdon, S. Slaughter, H. Farnham.

OFFICERS

President.....Monte Spillman
Vice-President.....Tom Trogdon
Secretary.....Sibyl Slaughter
Treasurer.....Herbert Farnham

SPONSOR

Mr. Johnson

Projection Club members are trained in the use of tape recording equipment and motion-picture projectors under the supervision of Mr. Johnson, director of audio-visual aids. They operate the school equipment for the benefit of teachers and classes. Members are associated with the School Projectionists of Illinois, sponsored by the University of Illinois. After one year's service an emblem is awarded, and at the end of two years, a medal.

G.A.A. MEMBERS

Top row, left to right—Beverly Ewing, LueEllen Howe, Betty Spillman, Pat O'Hair, Judy Feutz, Joyce Titus, Firma Wallace, Janice Jones, Sharon Roberts, Phyllis Good, Sandra Carpenter.

Second row—Jenny Brosman, Lou Wright, Theresa Harrison, Lois Heironimus, Marilyn Eads, Sandra Sunkel, Judy Swanson, Dixie Wilson, Sandra Findley, Mrs. Findley.

Third row—Ruth Findley, Julie Zimmerly, Beulah Snyder Kay McEvoy, Jackie Starbuck, Sue Quinn, Verneta Benson, Sally Melton, Shirley Staley.

Fourth row—Joan Arbuckle, Sharon Hammer, Nancy Shaw, Betty Bright, Linda Johns, Betty Gosnell, Glenna Johnson, Linda Eveland, Beverly Warrick.

Fifth row—Marilyn Swinford, Pat Raines, Beth Pinnell, Vada Swinford, Ada Wright, Nancy Sue Findley, Shirley Silverman, Rachael Bizal, Peggy Henson.

Bottom row—Barbara Boswell, Jean Hall, Kay Tanner, Sharon Jones, Phyllis Findley, Carol Lowry, Georganna Blume, Ann Foley, Carolee Tolliver.

G. A. A.

OFFICERS

President
Georganna Blume

Vice-President
Rachael Bizal

Secretary-Treasurer
Beth Pinnell

Point Manager
Judy Swanson

Business Manager
Glenna Dee Johnson

SPONSOR

Mrs. Findley

The G.A.A. had a busy program for the current year. In the fall the officers attended a workshop at Danville, Illinois. All members participated in a Play Day at the Eastern Illinois State Teachers College. Rough initiation, involving wearing clothes backward, carrying soft eggs, etc., was followed by the lighting of the symbolic candles at the formal initiation ceremony. Members held a slumber party in the gym and played games and put on skits. Basketball and volleyball tournaments highlighted the winter season.

Sophomore victors in the basketball tournament

Seniors win the volley ball contest

F. H. A.

OFFICERS

President.....Alice Keenen
Vice-President.....Kay Pennington
Secretary.....Dorothy Crawley
Treasurer.....Kay Payne

SPONSORS

Mrs. Bizal
Miss Perisho
Mrs. Keenen

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Seated, left to right—Ann Watson, Beverly Jamison, Henrietta Gleckler, Beulah Snyder, Sue Ellen Howe, Alice Keenen, Kay Pennington, Dorothy Crawley, Kay Payne.

Standing—Miss Perisho, Mrs. Gleckler, Mrs. Keenen, Mrs. Crawley, Mrs. Shutzbaugh, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs. Jamison, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Smitley, Mrs. Bizal.

Membership in this national association is open to all interested students. Officers are elected in the spring and formally installed by their sponsors and mothers in September. Meetings are monthly.

During the current year the Club held a Bake Sale at the Citizens National Bank in the fall and a Hallowe'en costume party. There was a "Family Night" potluck dinner. At the Christmas party gifts were exchanged, and the members helped to decorate the "mitten tree" (mittens were sent overseas to those in need of warm clothing). Initiation of one-semester members was held in January. New initiates wore rosebuds, and the others present wore red roses, the Club flower.

In February the Club entertained the Young-America F.H.A. at a special program featuring Rev. Fr. Hoffman of the Episcopal Church, who showed slides of his trip to England. In the spring a camp delegate was selected to spend a week at Lake Bloomington during the summer along with 400 or 500 other F.H.A. members throughout the state.

Front row, left to right—Thelma Tibbs, Sue Myers, Sharon Hammer, Ann Watson, Kay Payne, Dorothy Crawley, Kay Pennington, Alice Keenen, Beverly Jamison, Helen Koontz, Ruthie Keltz, Linda Payne.

Standing—Miss Perisho, Beulah Snyder, LouEllen Howe, Sally Stickler, Verneta Benson, Henrietta Gleckler, Evalina Umberger, Margaret Shutzbaugh, Mrs. Bizal.

Top row, left to right—Jim Knecht, Bill Francis, Mr. Stevens, Bill Gore, Monte Spillman, Mike Carnahan, Dale Roberts, Roger Stanley, Ronnie Barath, Douglas Henderson, David Kaiserman.
Bottom row—Sam Preston, Herb Farnham, Tom Trogdon, Bill Thompson, Tom Zink, David Dillavou, Dean Camp, Joe Haase, Denny Grant, Larry Moss.

KEY CLUB

OFFICERS

President.....Tom Trogdon
Vice-President.....Bill Thompson
Secretary.....Tom Zink
Treasurer.....David Dillavou

SPONSOR
Mr. Stevens

Membership in the Key Club, which is a junior branch of the Kiwanis Club, is by invitation. By renting stadium seats at athletic contests, the members raise money to perform a service for the school. This year the Club purchased a slide projector for school use.

F. F. A.

OFFICERS

President.....John Stanley
Vice-President.....Bill Gore
Secretary.....Terry Payne
Treasurer.....Monte Spillman
Reporter.....Bernie Halloran
Sentinel.....Dean Camp

SPONSOR
Mr. Smith

Membership in this national organization is open to all interested vocational agriculture students. Meetings are monthly, and there is a well-planned program for the year. Individual and community projects are undertaken and awards for achievement are granted. An award is given to the agriculture student with the year's highest average. Field trips, conventions, contests, and radio programs are regular features.

The Club in 1953-1954 took a trip to the International Livestock show in Chicago, visited the University of Illinois, sent two delegates to the State Convention, visited a soybean plant at Gibson City, participated in the land-judging contest, the Sectional and State Judging Contest, Grain Show, etc. For recreation there was a fall and spring hayride and wiener roast. Basketball games followed each monthly meeting. Funds were raised by means of a bake sale.

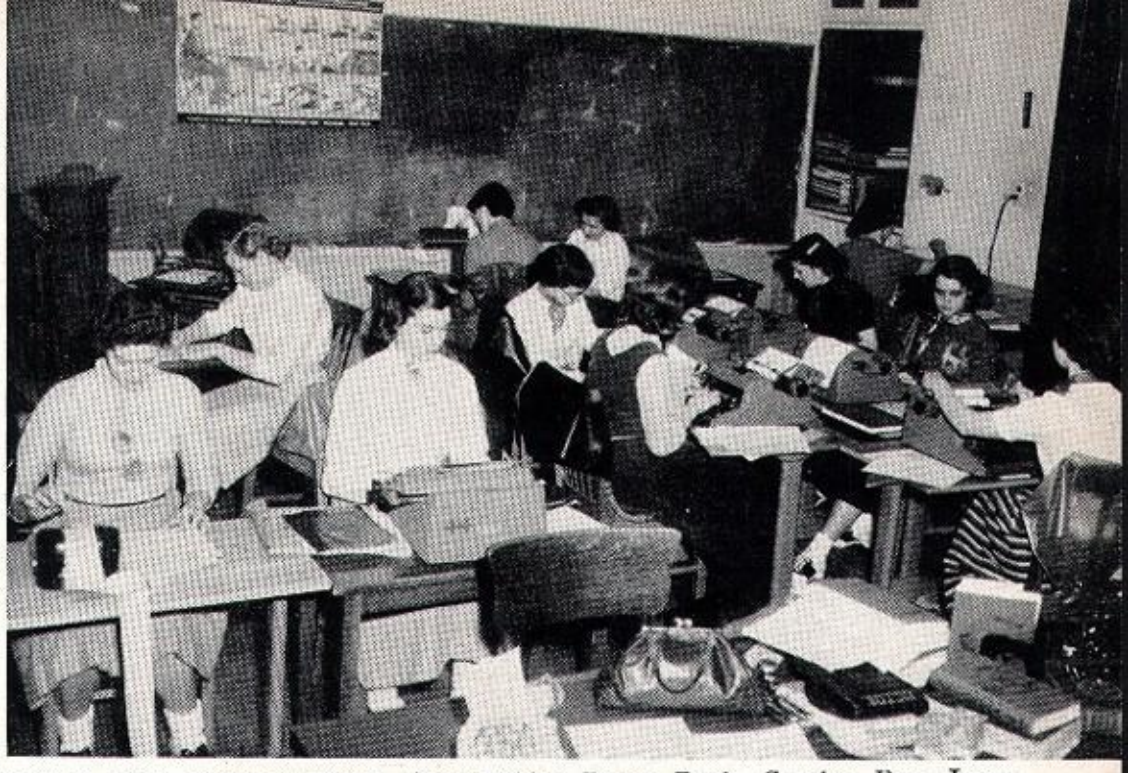
Top row, left to right—Connie Wilhoit, Larry Moss, Carol Drake, Ronald Hooker, John Evard, Max Gardner, John Wiley, Jack Bottom, Bill Sunkel.
Middle row—Dick Cunningham, Spencer Keltz, Ronnie Wilson, Ralph Weber, Jerry Huffman, Roger Stanley, Charles Jones, Philip Bush, Dean Butler.
Bottom row—Mr. Smith, Philip Griffin, Dean Camp, Bill Gore, John Stanley, Monte Spillman, Clark Findley, and Bill Saiter.

OFFICE PRACTICE

OFFICERS

President.....Alice White
Vice-President.....Joan Calvin
Secretary.....Judy Hale
Treasurer.....Marlene Black

SPONSOR
Mrs. Riedell



Left to right—Marlene Black, Alice White, Peggy Doak, Carolyn Day, Joyce Babb, Mary Kaye Sexton, Mrs. Riedell, Delores Wilhoit, Judy Hale, Sharon Downing, and Joan Calvin.

Club members learn to master office skills, such as the operation of business machines, transcription and filing, business English, business attitudes.

VOCATIONAL BUSINESS CLUBS

These clubs are organized for the purpose of giving on-the-job training to students. Students receive part of their training in the classroom from the teacher, and the other on the job from the employer. Teachers make periodic checks with employers on students' progress. Class field trips are made from time to time to various industries to observe business practices.

The two business clubs play host to employers at an informal picnic in the fall at Twin Lakes Park and at a spring banquet. Representatives are sent to the State Convention.

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

Club members hold weekly meetings, participate in field trips locally and an annual field trip to Chicago, attend the Springfield Convention, talk to local business groups, such as the Kiwanis Club.

OFFICERS

President.....Larry Smith
Vice-President.....Donna Hale
Secretary.....Wilma Wilhoit
Treasurer.....Bill Crawley

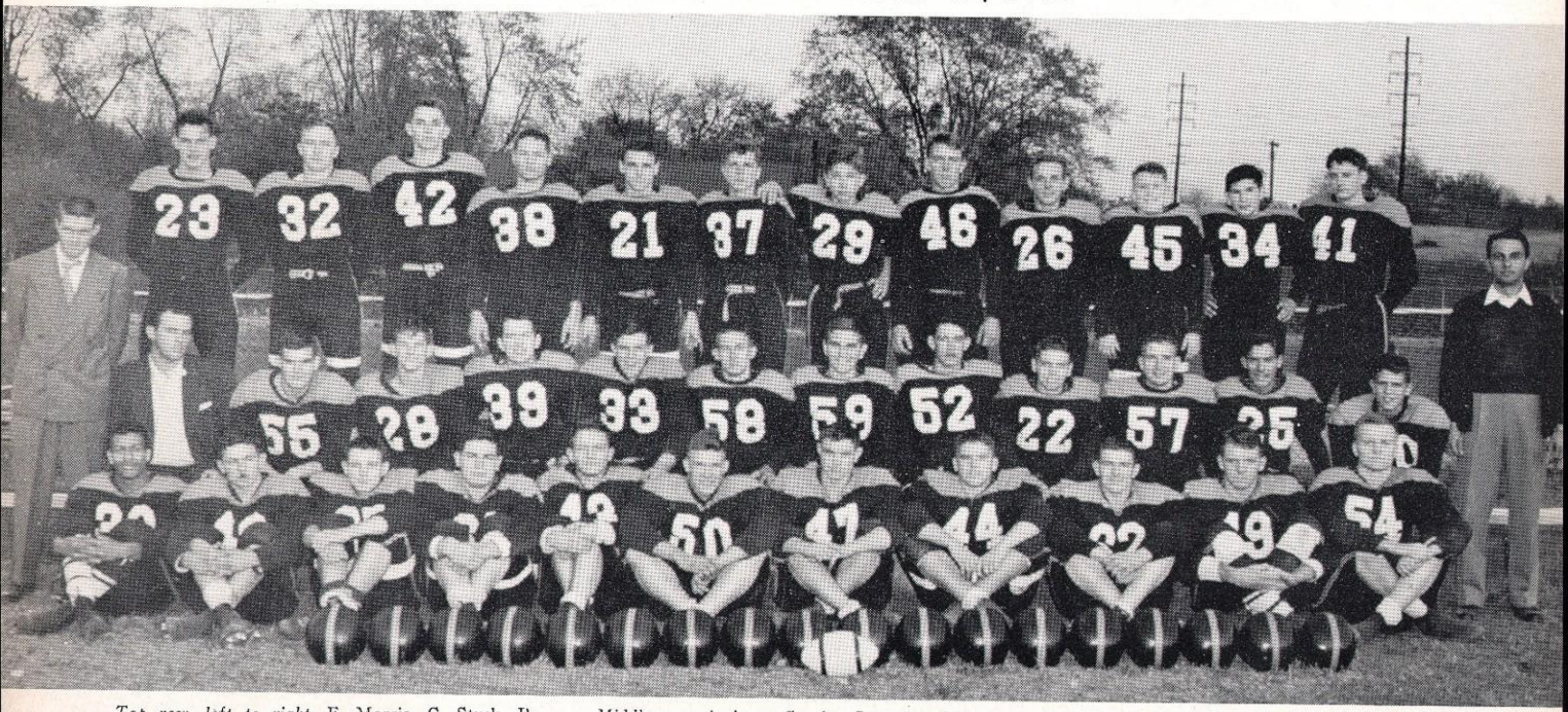
SPONSOR
Mr. Lashmet

Left to right—Alta Hood, Donna Hale, Bill Crawley, Dennie Davidson, Mr. Lashmet, Larry Smith, Deema Brosman, David Daugherty, Phyllis Goddard, Wilma Hearn, Mary Ruth Horton, Jackie Hutchings, Hilda Ayres, and Bernie Halloran.

Paris In

The Fall

THE 1953 FOOTBALL SQUAD



Top row, left to right—E. Morris, C. Stuck, R. Brown, J. Rogers, J. Drake, D. Tucker, W. Ferguson, R. Eaton, N. Truelove, R. Briel, R. Kirby, C. Lynch.

Middle row—Assistant Coaches Stevens and Herron, R. German, W. Long, J. Wilson, N. Huff, D. Bess, D. Grant, T. Payne, W. Thompson, D. Knoepfel, D. Wilson, J. Knecht, Coach Stabler.

Bottom row—L. Goins, J. Wiley, R. Barath, D. Swinford, W. Piper, C. Dorsett, J. Cushman, F. Sawlaw, D. Camp, R. Clark, D. Briel.

THE 1953 *Football* SEASON

Paris, 19; Tuscola, 27
Paris, 20; Marshall, 7
Paris, 0; Eastern State, 7
Paris, 13; Casey, 0
Paris, 13; Effingham, 25
Paris, 6; Charleston, 20
Paris, 14; Georgetown, 13
Paris, 0; Robinson, 7
Paris, 28; Oakland, 0

COACHES WITH GRADUATING SENIORS

Kneeling—Bud Goins, Clark Dorsett, Bill Thompson, Coach Stabler.
Standing—Asst. Coach Stevens, Bill Piper, Terry Payne, Bob Clark, Jim Cushman, Ron Barath, Asst. Coach Herron, Don Briel.

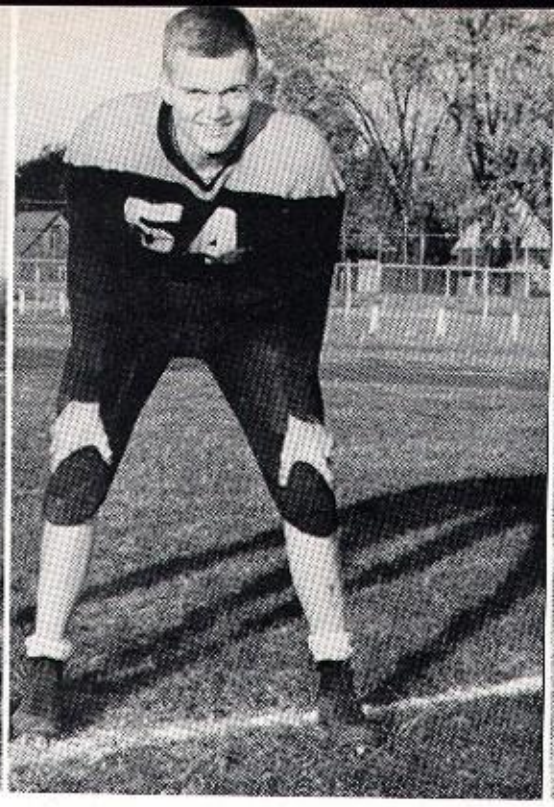
Under Coaches Stabler, Herron, and Stevens, and captained by Clark Dorsett, Paris opened the football season on September 18 with the highly rated Tuscola Warriors. The game was a thriller from start to finish with Tuscola emerging victoriously, 27-19. The highlight—in the third quarter a beautiful 91-yard touchdown run by Clark Dorsett. The following week the Tigers travelled to Marshall. Long an arch rival, the game started out as if the Tigers were to meet their second defeat, with Marshall scoring first. With the passing of Bill Piper, the Tigers fought back to win 20-7. Eastern State spoiled the Tigers' short victory string. Eastern scored early in the first quarter, and from then on it was a matter of good defensive football on the part of both teams.

Paris entertained the Casey Warriors on October 9 on the Tigers' homefield. This victory was achieved by the exceptional playing of the Paris line. Highlights—Buddy Goins getting off an 85-yard run for the first score, and Don Briel intercepting a pass and returning the ball 79 yards for a touchdown to turn back Casey 13-0. *Homecoming* saw the Tigers go down fighting 25-13 to one of the outstanding teams in the E. I. League, Effingham. The Tigers were proud of the play of their star tackle, Jim Cushman. On October 23 the Tigers defeated the Charleston Trojans at Charleston.

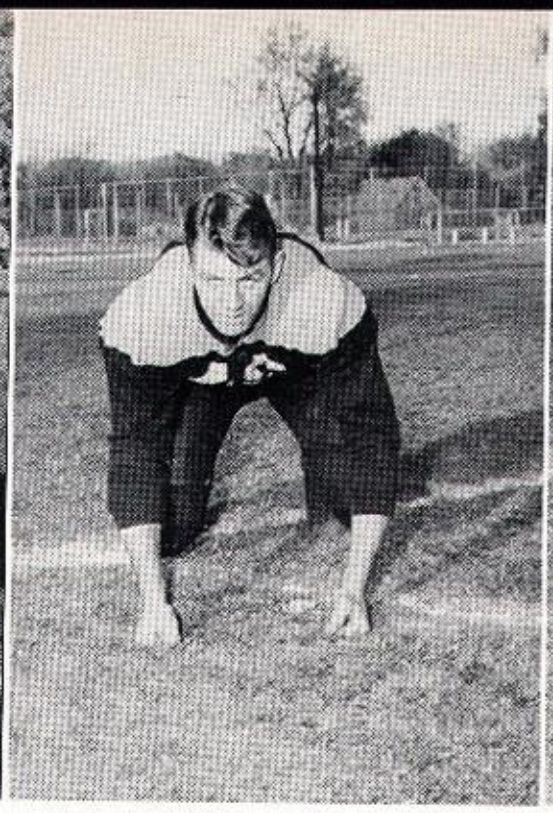
One of the most exciting games of the season was played on October 30 on the Tigers' homefield. Going into the fourth quarter and trailing 13-0, the Tigers fought back with the tenacity of a great team to eke out a 14-13 victory over a powerful Georgetown crew. Connecting on an 81-yard pass play in the last 90 seconds of play, Robinson turned a tie into victory. Both teams played exceptionally fine defensive football with Jim Cushman and Forrest Sawlaw leading the Paris team. Paris finished the 1953 season with a 28-0 victory over Oakland. Nine seniors played in their last high school game.

The Tigers' T for victory.

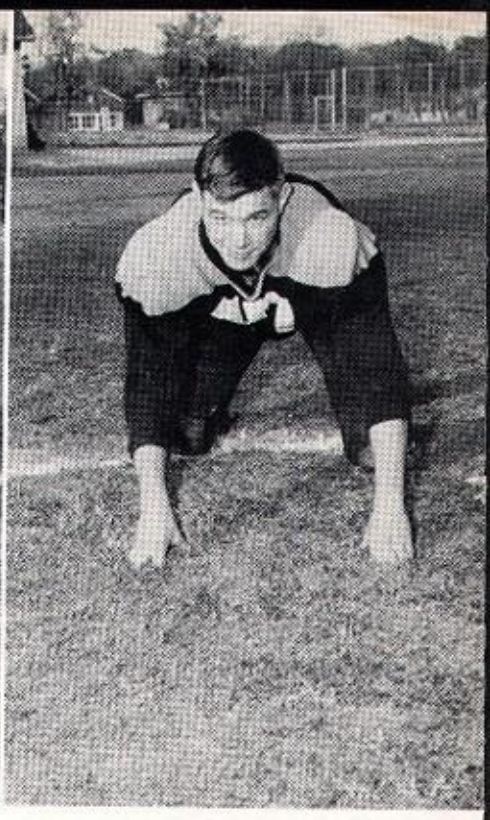
TERRY PAYNE
Senior end



DON BRIEL
Senior end



BOB CLARK
Senior tackle



JIM CUSHMAN
Senior tackle

CLARK DORSETT
Captain
Senior fullback

GRADUATING SENIOR LETTERMEN

TERRY PAYNE: Latecomer . . . energetic . . . defensive end.

DON BRIEL: Tall . . . sticky pair of hands . . . became an exceptionally good end.

BOB CLARK: "Biggum" . . . slowgoing . . . untapped potentialities.

JIM CUSHMAN: "Tiger" . . . First team All Wabash Valley Conference . . . Usually led the team in tackles. Vicious blocker.

CLARK DORSETT: Captain for '53 . . . fast . . . shifty . . . excellent pass receiver.

BILL THOMPSON: Dogmatic blocker . . . good fighting heart.

BILL PIPER: Called signals . . outstanding passer . . . limited punting chores.

RON BARATH: Competitor . . . never missed a practice.

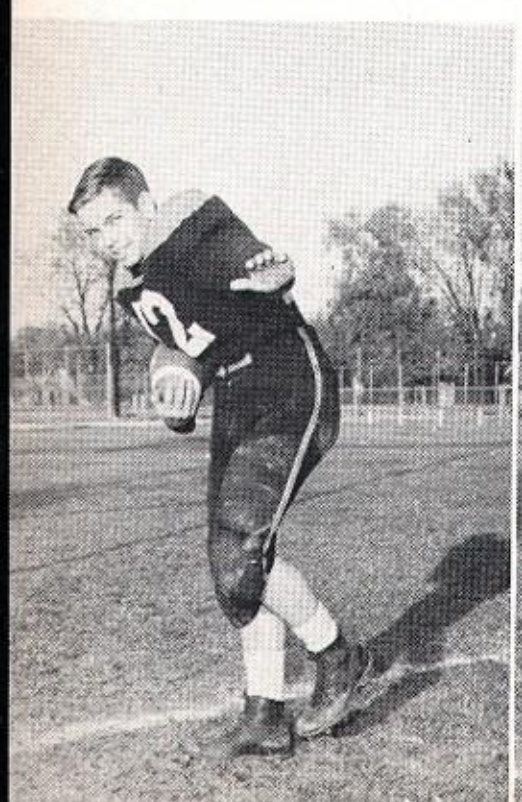
BUDDY GOINS: Speedster . . . most feared back in area. Fine punter and safety man . . . rare agile ability.

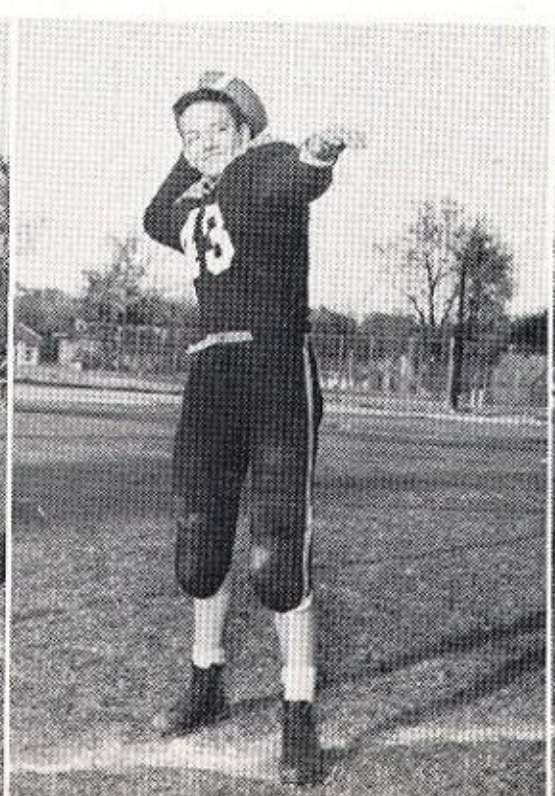
BILL THOMPSON
Senior halfback

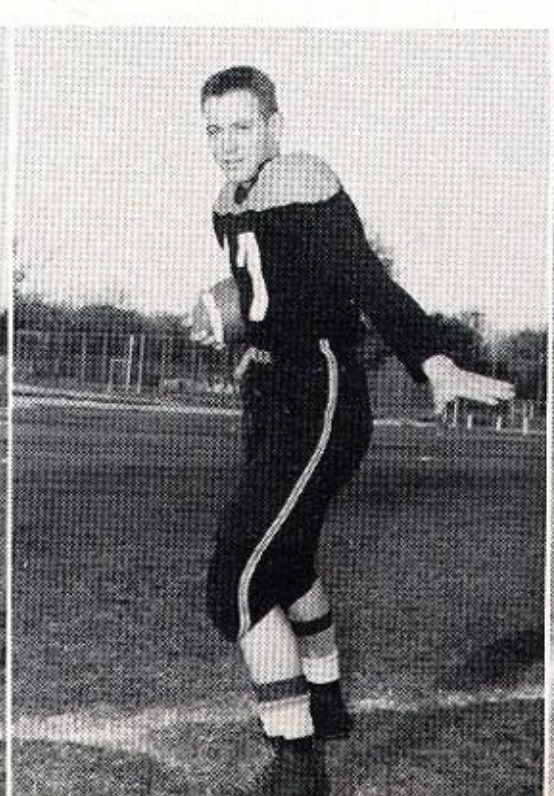
BILL PIPER
Senior quarterback

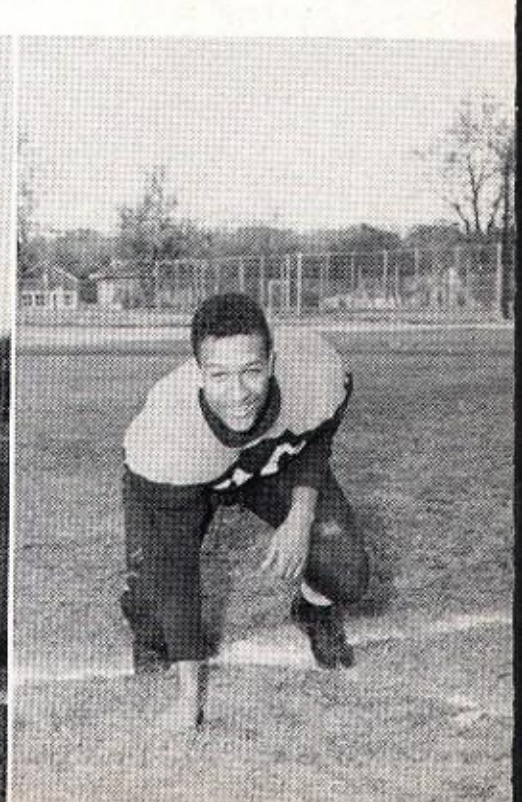
RON BARATH
Senior fullback

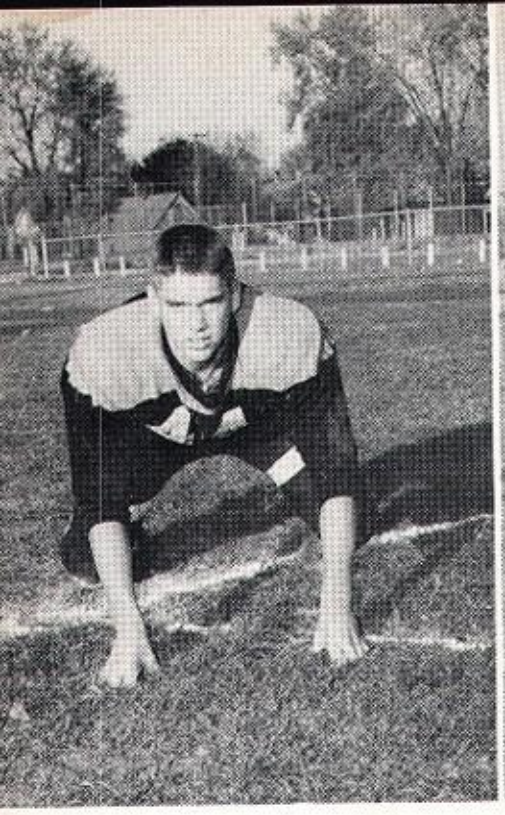
BUDDY GOINS
Senior halfback



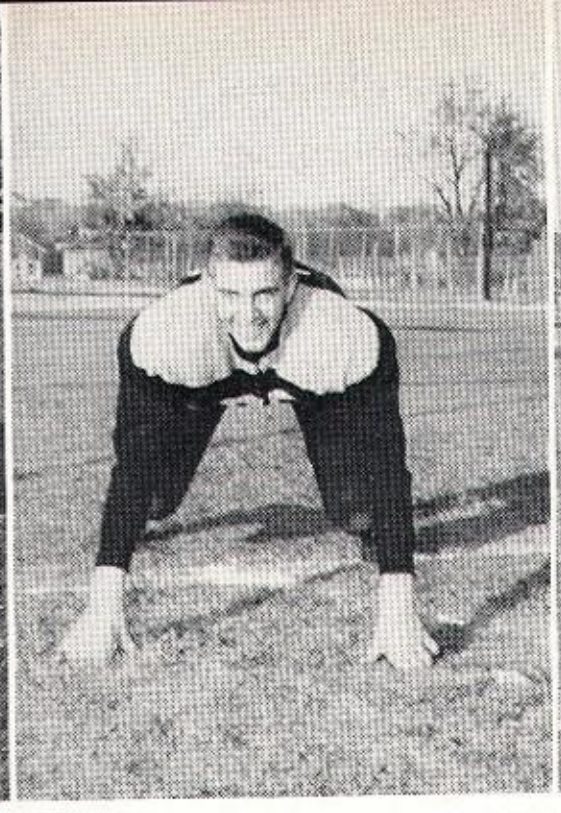






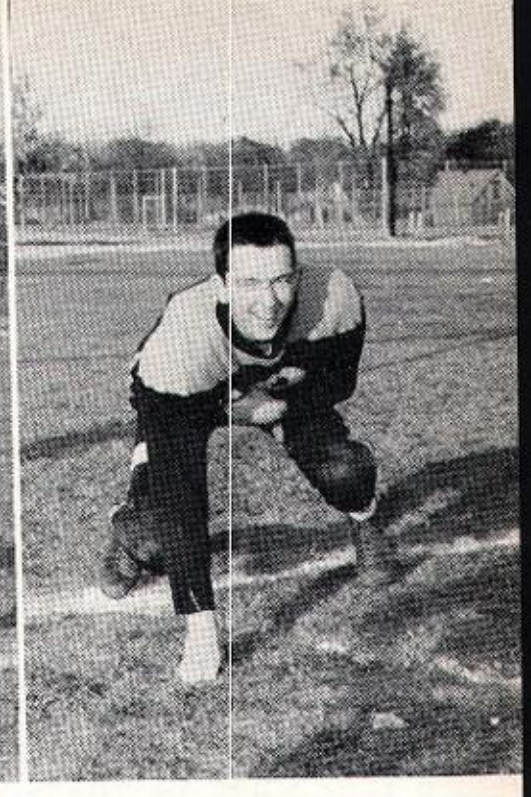


FORREST SAWLAW
Sophomore guard



DEAN CAMP
Sophomore tackle

DICK BROWN
Junior end



JACK WILSON
Junior end

1953 LETTERMEN

FORREST SAWLAW: Aggressive . . . outstanding sophomore lineman—tenacious tackler.

DEAN CAMP: Sizeable character . . . improved during the season.

DICK BROWN: Catching passes his specialty . . . good defensive back.

JACK WILSON: Hard worker . . . tough defensive end.

DON KNOEPFEL: Will be hitting his stride next season.

DENNY GRANT: Easygoing . . . should be tough next year.

DUKE BESS: Likeable—versatile performer . . . co-captain for '54.

DON SWINFORD: Big . . . fast . . . Dependable . . . co-captain for '54.

JOHN WILEY: "Crazylegs" . . . capable tackler . . . watch this boy run in '54.

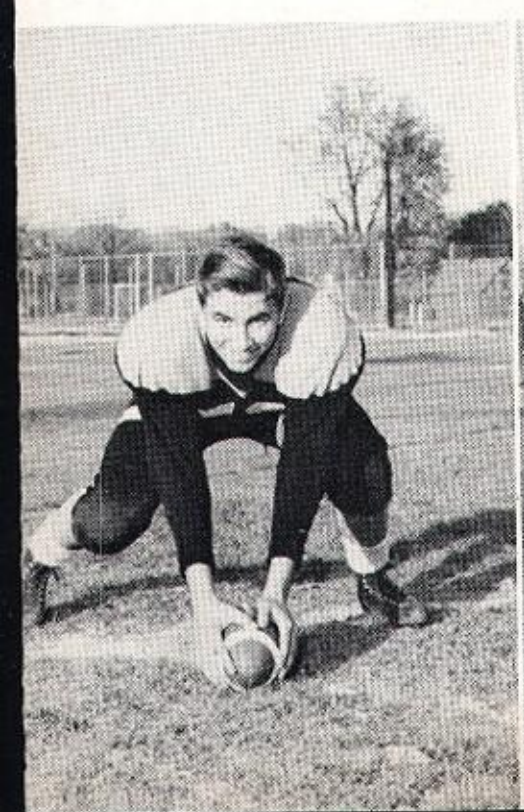
DON KNOEPFEL
Junior tackle

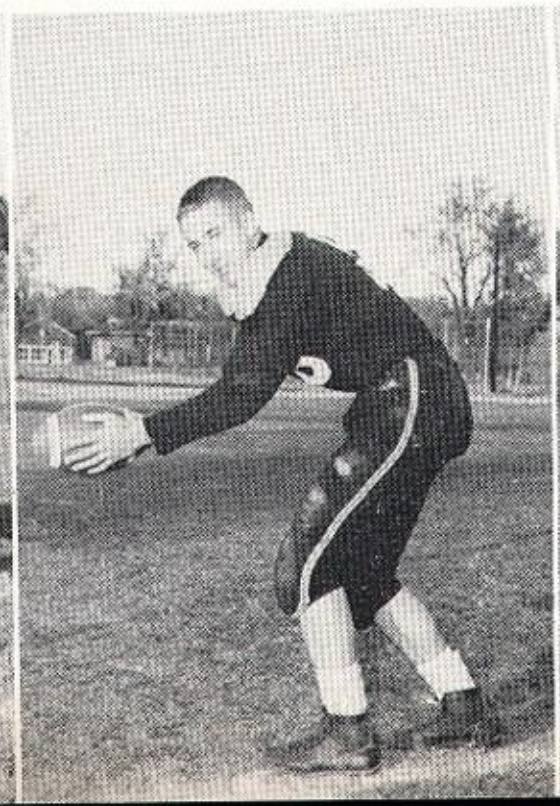
DENNY GRANT
Junior center

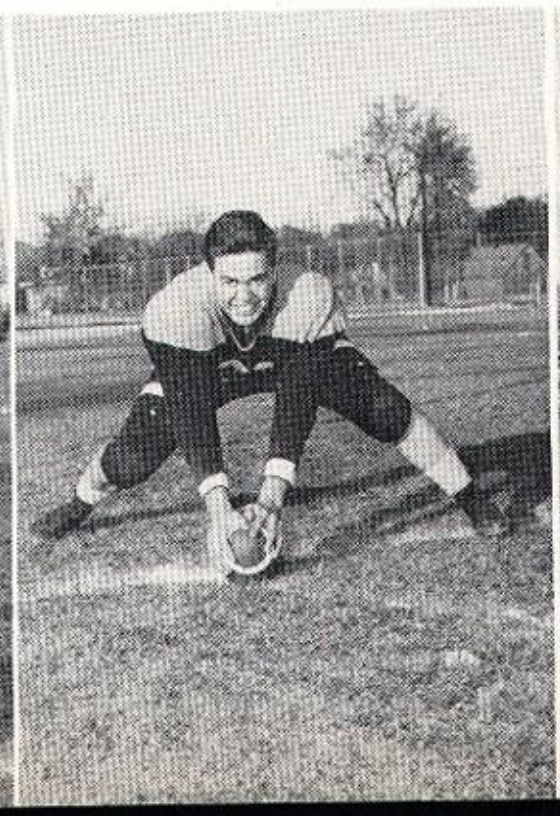
DUKE BESS
Junior quarterback
Co-Captain for '54

DON SWINFORD
Junior center
Co-Captain for '54

JOHN WILEY
Junior back







In the Homecoming game with Effingham, Buddy Goins runs around end.

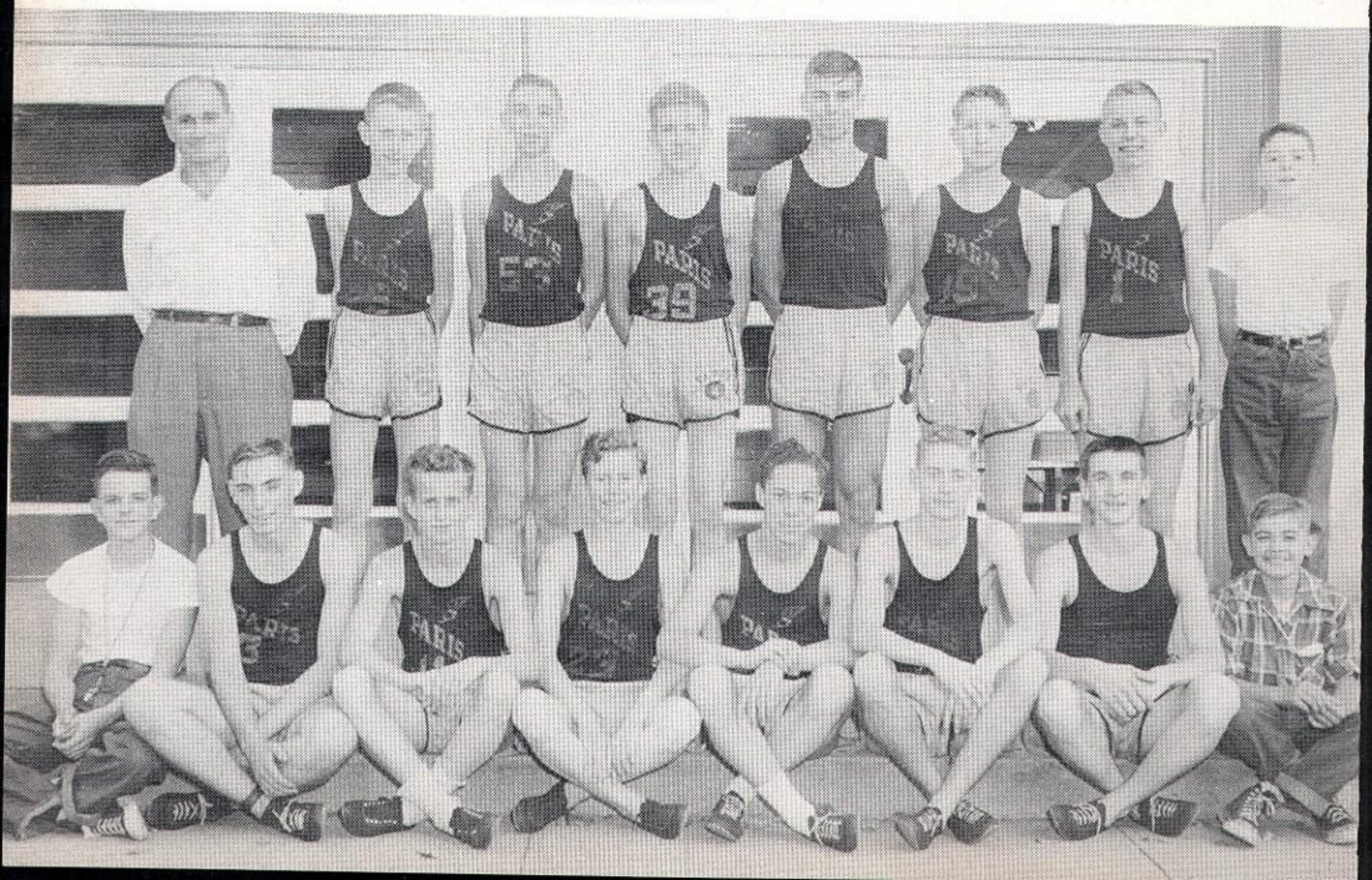
CROSS COUNTRY

The Cross Country team failed to bring in any wins this season but gained valuable experience towards next year's competition.

CROSS COUNTRY RECORD FOR 1953

Paris, 30; Bloomington, 15
Paris, 40; Cumberland, 15
Paris, 35; Mattoon, 20
Paris, 35; Danville, 20
Paris, 77; Vincennes, 28
Paris, 54; Wiley, 51
Paris, 67; Cumberland, 38
Paris, 61; Danville, 44
Paris, 44; Urbana, 17
Paris, 58; Mattoon, 47

Seated, left to right—Manager Tim Gove, Max Williams, Bob Dennison, Bill Marquis, Tommy Reed, Jim Boyer, Jack Runyan, and Manager Kenny Garver.
Standing—Coach Ernie Eveland, Bill Propst, Raymond Ogle, Jerry Henness, Ronnie Basquette, Roscoe McClarey, Donald Parks, and Manager Charles Geekie.

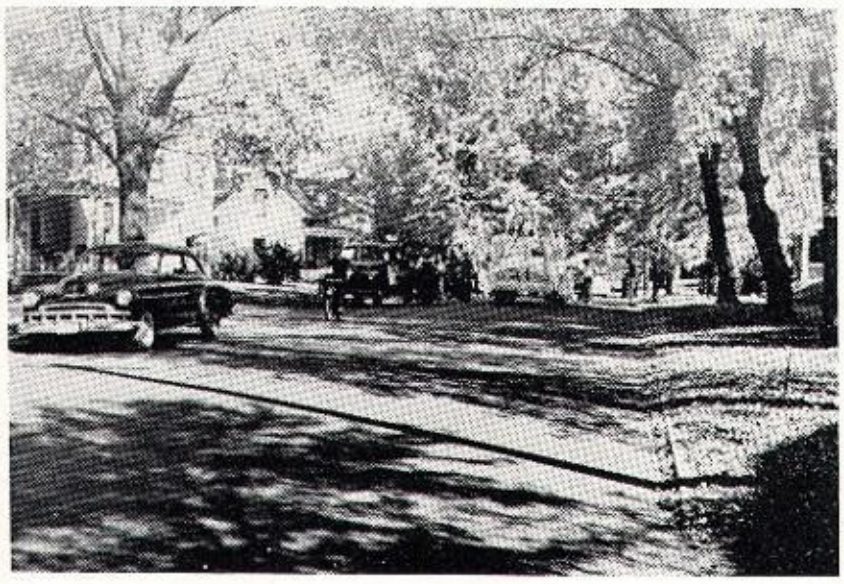


HOMECOMING

The fifth annual Homecoming under the sponsorship of the Student Council was a gala event for the Paris High School students, with Queen Phylis Griffin reigning over the festivities. Along with her court, which included Georganna Blume, Peggy Doak, Irma Walls, Karen Babb, Sandra Findley, Beverly Merritt, Dixie Wilson, Pat Saiter, Judy Swanson, Beth Pinnell, Emilie Redmon and Linda Sunkel, she was the main attraction of the activities.

Queen of the 1953 Homecoming,
Phylis Griffin

The activities of the day included a parade, with Mr. Cooley's homeroom float winning first in the pretty division, Mr. Stevens' homeroom float winning first in the original division, and Mrs. Hesler's homeroom float winning first in the funny division. The parade was followed by a student body pep session, and that night the Paris Tigers met the Flaming Hearts of Effingham in an exciting football game. The day's events were climaxed with the annual dance after the game and the crowning of the Queen.



It was a bright and colorful October day.

"Easy As Taking Candy from a Baby"—funny but, alas, not true.

"Eat the Ham out of Effingham" wins for originality.

"Out of this World" for beauty with Shirley Englum, Dorothy Crawley, Pat Downs, and Nancy Sue Findley.

VISITING CELEBRITIES

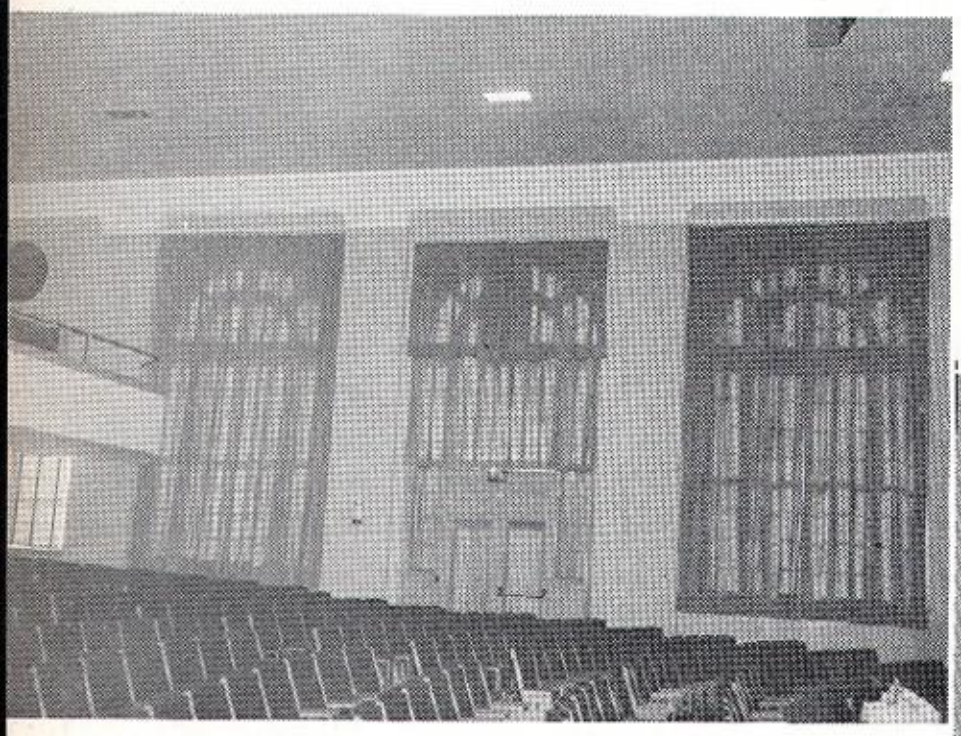
Senator Douglas opened the debate in the morning.

October 8 was a memorable day for teachers, students, and townspeople, when the two Senators from Illinois spoke to them in the gymnasium. Senator Douglas made an address on the economic, military, and diplomatic position of the United States. Subsequently, Senator Dirksen spoke on the same subject. Neither man knew the content of the other speech, but the two addresses constituted informally a debate on the views of the opposing political parties. Both Senators were gracious in answering questions from the audience and in meeting and talking with individuals.

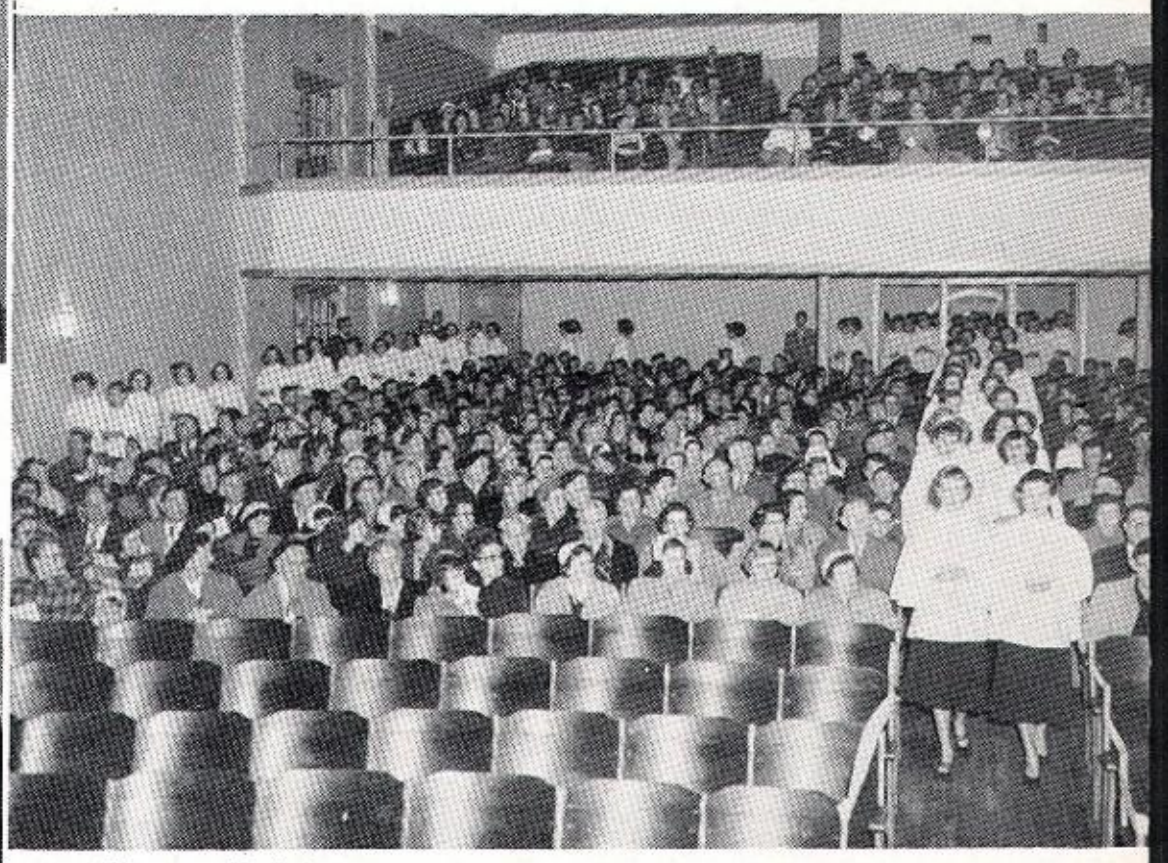
Senator Dirksen arrived in the afternoon to continue the program.

THE NEW AUDITORIUM

During the summer and fall of 1953 the School Board made arrangements for remodeling the auditorium. It was acoustically treated, and the ceiling was lowered four feet. New draperies were purchased to match the redecorating. A new lighting system was installed with all new wiring. Footlights were revamped and many more spotlights added. An expensive set of dimmers was installed. The heating system was improved and repaired. The *Senior Play* was the first presentation in the "new" auditorium.



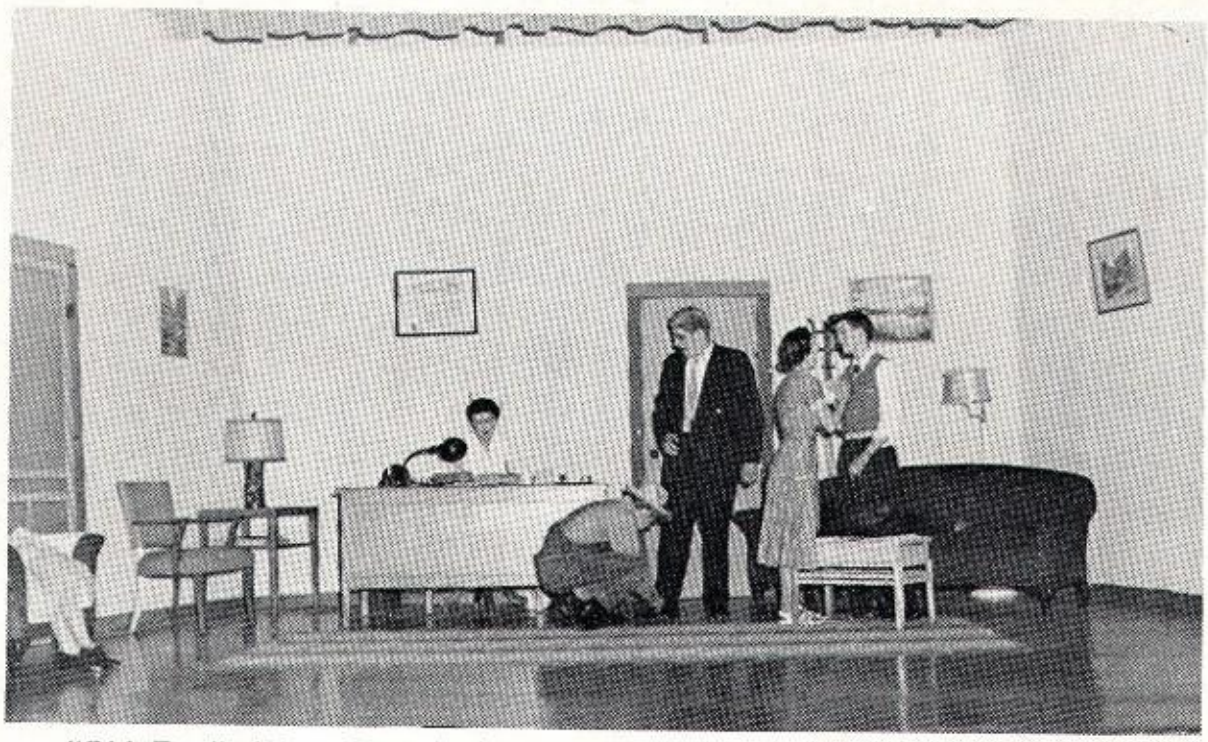
The walls have a new coat of paint—rose beige in color. The cotton shantung draperies match.



The candlelight procession at the afternoon Vespers service is very effective in the new setting.

Denny Grant and Duke Roberts at the remodeled, complicated switch box back-stage.

THE SENIOR PLAY



"Old Doc" (Tom Trogdon) and his living room office dominate each act of the play.

"Old Doc," written by Jean Lee Latham, was presented by the Senior Class of 1954 on November 20, 1953, in the high school auditorium under the artful direction of William J. Tucker, dramatics instructor.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Dr. John Hillary.....Tom Trogdon
Dr. Robert Hillary....Don Heironimus
Pa Brown.....Roland Dick
Ma Brown.....Marlene Snearly
Margaret Burns.....Shirley Francis
Dick Burns.....Larry Smith
Janet Martin.....Hila Tanner
Lois Warner.....Nancy Rhoads
Mr. Hepple.....Ronald Barath
Dr. Edmond Brand....Tom Anderson
Helen Brand.....Janean Dawson
Mary Selby.....Rosemary Butler
Mrs. Rossi.....Miriam Churukian
Mrs. Cronin.....Sharon Downing
Mrs. Mellon.....Carol Lowry

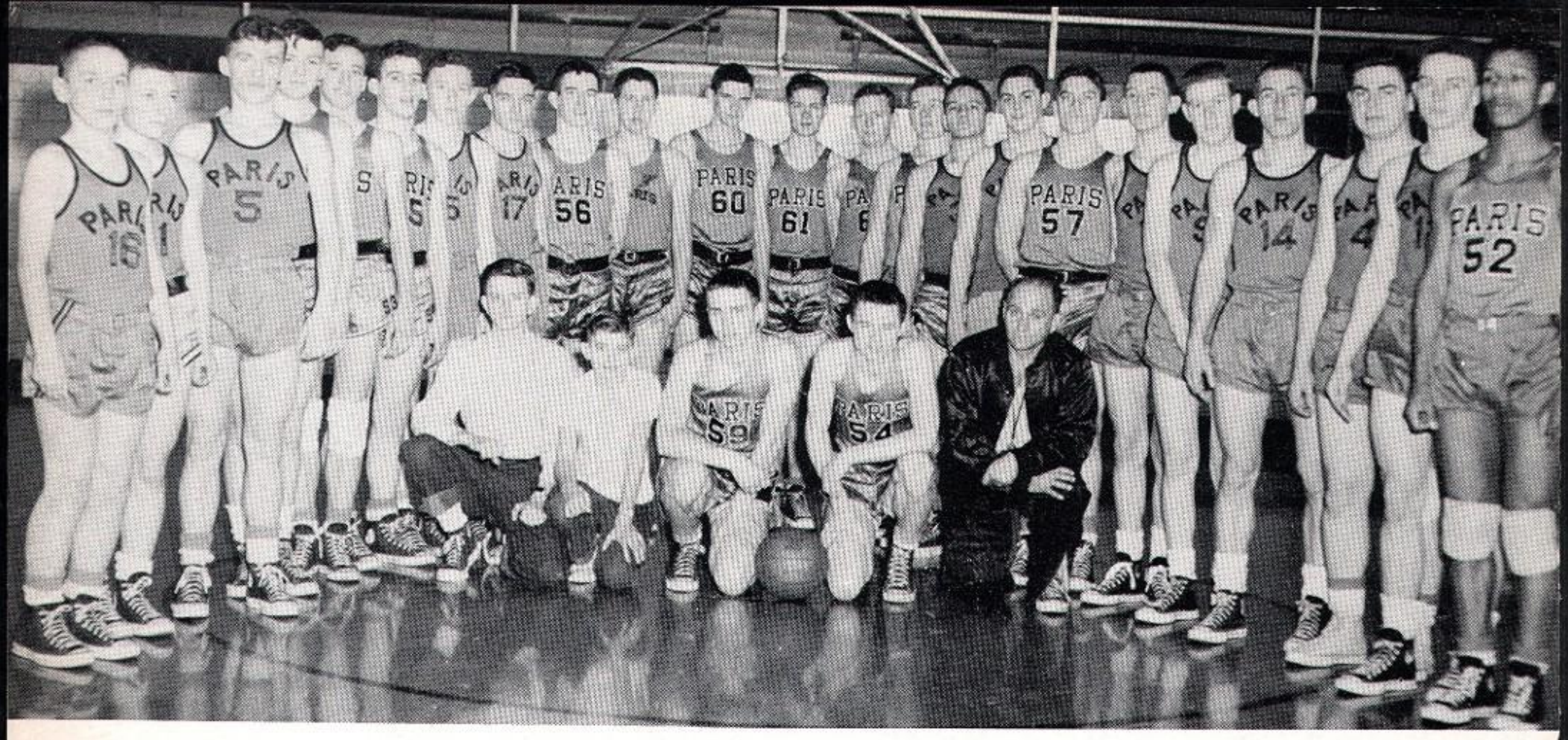
"Old Doc's" nurse (Shirley Francis) loves his son (Don Heironimus).

Marlene Snearly reminds "Old Doc's" son of his duty to follow in his father's footsteps despite the lure of city attractions. (Janean Dawson and Tom Anderson).

Make-up time for the cast.

Paris In

The Winter



1953-54 SQUAD

Kneeling, left to right—Mgr. J. Gove, Mgr. K. Garver, Capt. D. Collier, Capt. J. Bunnell, Coach Eveland.
Standing—W. Stotts, J. Schneider, P. Slaughter, J. Sudduth, W. Cash, J. Ashley, T. Cochran, B. Harmon, T. Kennedy, J. Ogle, W. Saiter, W. Luth, E. Smithson, D. Davis, W. Piper, A. Newman, F. Sawlaw, G. Smithson, B. Brown, D. Bess, D. Swinford, J. McCord, L. Goins.

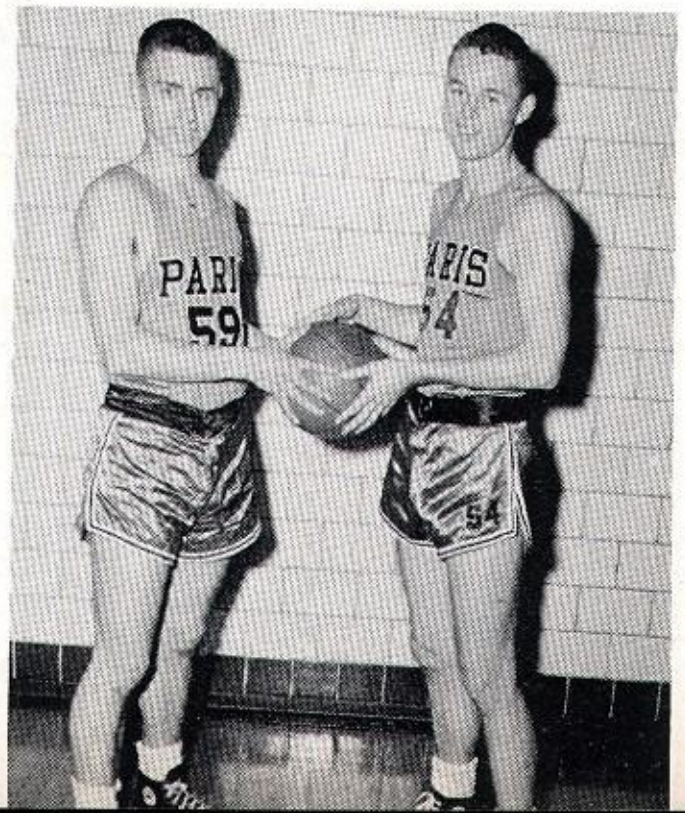
VARSITY

Paris	78	Brocton	47
Paris	41	Hutsonville	48
Paris	71	Shelbyville	51
Paris	51	Canton	42
Paris	64	Monticello	50
Paris	76	Salem	63
Paris	63	Hoopeston	42
Paris	69	Riverside-Brookfield	58
Paris	55	Bridgeport	48
Paris	67	Danville	49
Paris	80	Casey	53
Paris	68	Charleston	37
Paris	57	Lewiston	41
Paris	70	Robinson	55
Paris	68	Cumberland	62
Paris	76	Lawrenceville	66
Paris	45	Georgetown	53
Paris	68	Westville	66
Paris	61	Vandalia	52
Paris	94	Flora	69

RESERVES

Paris	65	Brocton	26
Paris	56	Hutsonville	48
Paris	70	Shelbyville	36
Paris	55	Canton	45
Paris	59	Monticello	34
Paris	59	Salem	43
Paris	48	Hoopeston	43
Paris	68	Riverside-Brookfield	38
Paris	71	Bridgeport	46
Paris	80	Danville	46
Paris	68	Casey	45
Paris	74	Charleston	48
Paris	49	Lewiston	44
Paris	60	Robinson	52
Paris	77	Cumberland	52
Paris	43	Lawrenceville	64
Paris	87	Georgetown	35
Paris	88	Westville	42
Paris	71	Vandalia	34
Paris	70	Flora	39

Co-Captains of the 1953-54 Varsity: (*left to right*)—Dennis Collier and John Bunnell.



HOLIDAY TOURNAMENT

Paris	76	San Jose	49
Paris	70	Oakland	45
Paris	68	Charleston	47
Paris	70	Benton	57

E. I. LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Paris	68	Kansas	55
Paris	63	Hutsonville	50
Paris	68	Cumberland	69
Paris	72	Robinson	63

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Paris	78	Oakland	52
Paris	71	Casey	62
Paris	43	Charleston	39

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Paris	55	Cumberland	68

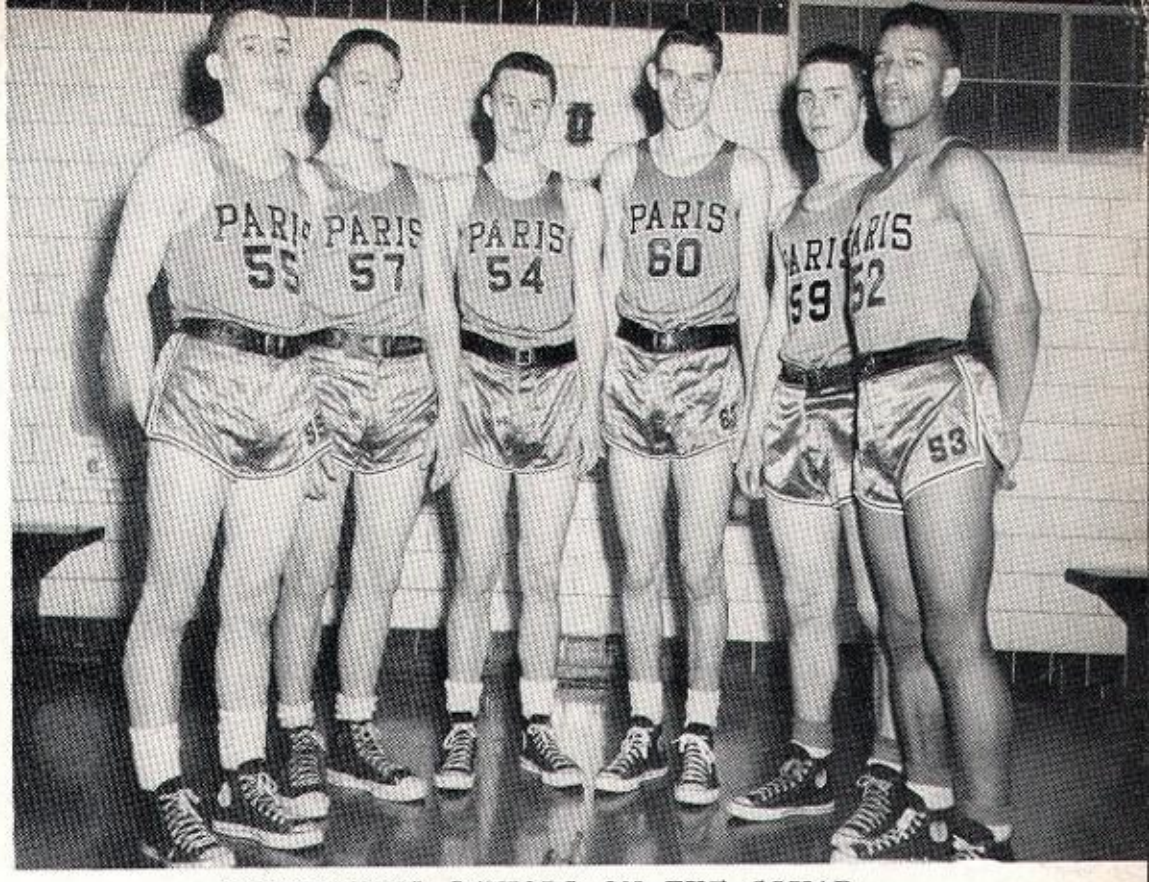
THE 1953-54

Basketball

SEASON

The Tigers made a good showing in the regular season with 18 wins, losing only to Hutsonville and Georgetown. In the Holiday Tournament held at Paris, the Tigers were victorious and they won third place in the E. I. League Tournament. Conquering in the Regional Tournament, the Tigers met defeat by Cumberland in the Sectional.

The Reserves won 19 games, lost 1.



GRADUATING SENIORS ON THE SQUAD
Left to right—J. Ashley, W. Piper, J. Bunnell, W. Saiter, D. Collier, L. Goins.

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE SCORES

Paris	68	Effingham	50
Paris	51	Gertsmeyer	56
Paris	55	Hutsonville	45
Paris	72	Cumberland	62
Paris	50	Westville	32
Paris	72	Charleston	36
Paris	41	Chrisman	39
Paris	62	Arthur	36
Paris	71	Marshall	32
Paris	57	Chrisman	42
Paris	60	Effingham	49
Paris	68	Cumberland	49
Paris	62	Gertsmeyer	43
Paris	58	Hutsonville	35
Paris	60	Eastern State	41
Paris	60	Charleston	35
Paris	73	Casey	45
Paris	66	Eastern State	47
Paris	78	Westville	37
Paris	68	Arthur	35

FRESHMAN SCORES

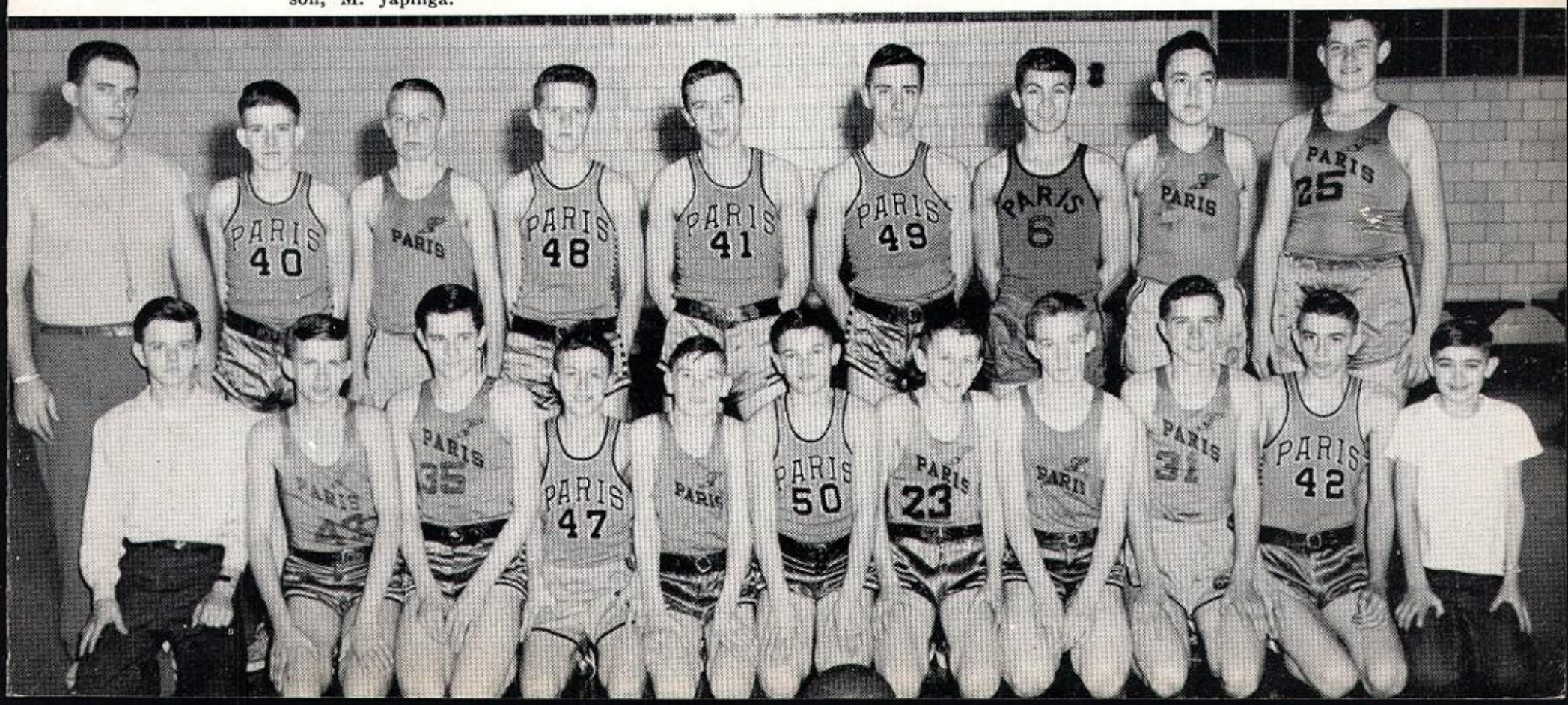
Paris	65	Effingham	40
Paris	48	Gertsmeyer	50
Paris	58	Hutsonville	20
Paris	62	Gibault	40
Paris	56	Cumberland	35
Paris	52	Westville	42
Paris	64	Charleston	46
Paris	60	Chrisman	43
Paris	49	Marshall	20
Paris	61	Robinson	24
Paris	73	Effingham	57
Paris	66	Cumberland	35
Paris	63	Gertsmeyer	51
Paris	52	Hutsonville	15
Paris	60	Robinson	34
Paris	61	Eastern	15
Paris	62	Eastern	44
Paris	54	Westville	56
Paris	82	Gibault	56
Paris	52	Charleston	34

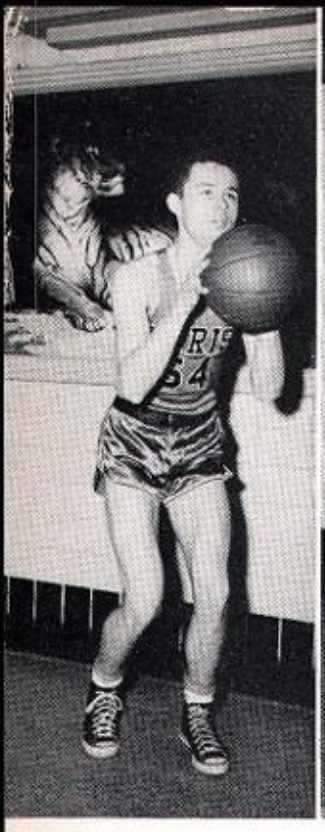
FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE E. I. LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

Paris	77	Charleston	28
Paris	84	Eastern State	36
Paris	72	Robinson	48
Paris	80	Casey	43

Paris won the championship in this tournament.

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE SQUADS
Kneeling, left to right—J. Gove, C. McHenry, G. Roberts, R. Whittington, W. Matthews, R. Caskey, I. Propst, W. Scott, D. Tucker, R. Ogle, K. Garver.
Standing—Coach Herron, J. Hennes, D. Parks, R. Dennison, C. Stuck, J. Redmon, R. Basquette, Y. Harrison, M. Japinga.





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Senior Guard

DENNY COLLIER
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BILL SAITER
Senior Center

JOE ASHLEY
Senior Guard

BUD GOINS
Senior Forward

BILL PIPER
Senior Forward

1953-54 BASKETBALL LETTERMEN

JOHN BUNNELL—Co-Captain . . . ace dribbler, dependable in the clinch . . . one of the best.

DENNY COLLIER—Co-Captain . . . cool and efficient . . . added that extra spark to the team.

BILL SAITER—Bill's height made him wicked on rebounds . . . always gave his all.

JOE ASHLEY—Joe was always down the floor like a flash . . . hard and persistent fighter.

BUD GOINS—"Buckshot" was greased lightning . . . a good addition to any team.

BILL PIPER—A sharp-shooting forward . . . an agressive rebounder.

EZRA SMITHSON—Consistent player . . . hooks with the best of them . . . plays 32 minutes a game.

DUKE BESS—Fast and lithe . . . we expect great things for Duke.

JOE MCCORD—"Jumping Joe" drives them crazy with shooting accuracy . . . a brilliant future.

BILL LUTH—Improving fast . . . will be one of the big guns next year.

BRET BROWN—Good prospect for varsity . . . likes to be in there.

DONALD SWINFORD—Up-and-coming dribbler . . . watch him.

EZRA SMITHSON
Junior Forward

DUKE BESS
Junior Guard

JOE McCORD
Sophomore Forward

BILL LUTH
Junior Forward

BRET BROWN
Junior Forward

DONALD SWINFORD
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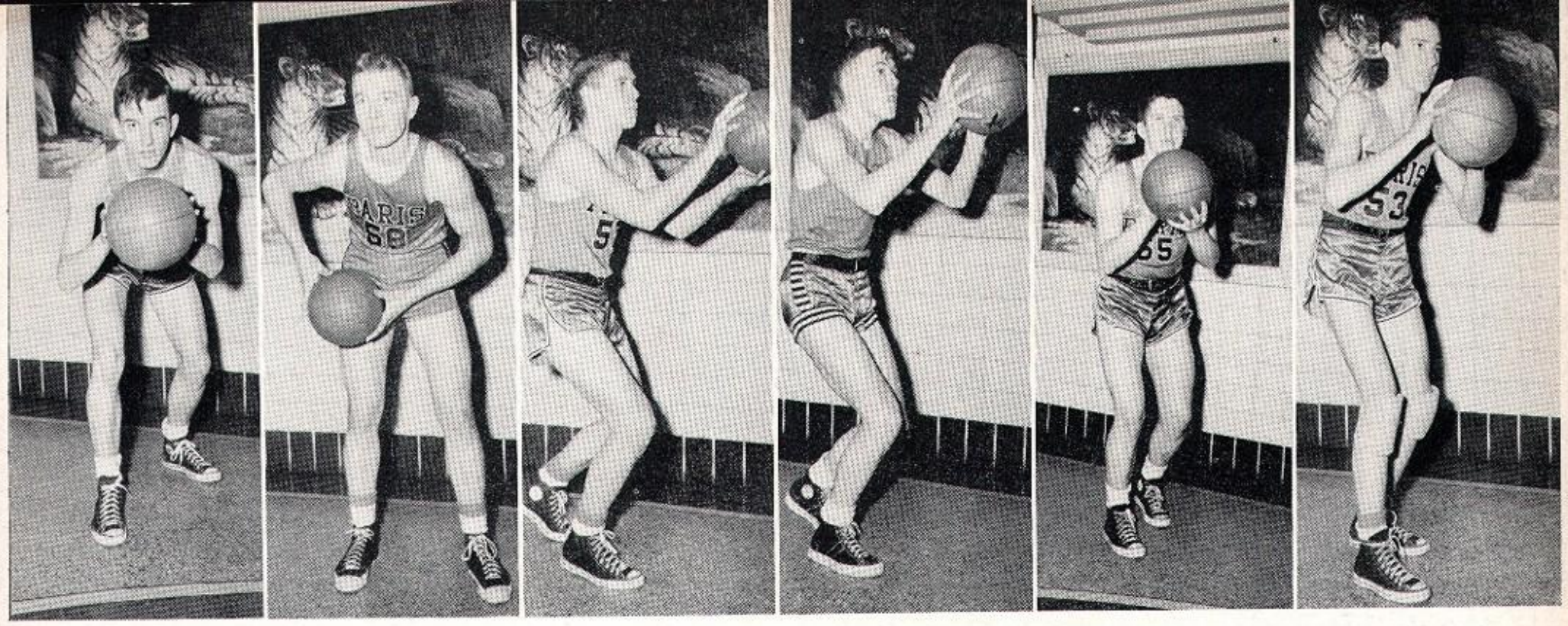

TOM KENNEDY
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FORREST SAWLAW
Sophomore Forward

JULIAN SUDDUTH
Sophomore Guard

JOE OGLE
Sophomore Center

BILL CASH
Sophomore Guard

1953-54 BASKETBALL LETTERMEN

Tom Kennedy—Good shot . . . lots of height . . . a good replacement for our graduating forward.

Dyke Davis—Has strength and knows how to use it . . . strong future.

Forrest Sawlaw—Likes to play hard and rough . . . give him an inch and he takes a mile.

Julian Sudduth—Bears watching . . . shoots to win.

Joe Ogle—Shows strength in rebounding . . . has a good future.

Bill Cash—Package of pep . . . watch him go.

John Schneider—A freshie this year . . . but watch out next year!

Gene Smithson—Outstanding shot . . . one of the best prospects in years.

Tony Cochran—Hits everything he shoots at . . . reminds you of a Cochran of the past.

Allan Newman—Big . . .with experience he will be rough.

Ben Harmon—Has the makings of a wonderful pivot man.

Bill Stotts—Dynamite in a small package . . . watch out for him!

JOHN SCHNEIDER
Freshman Guard

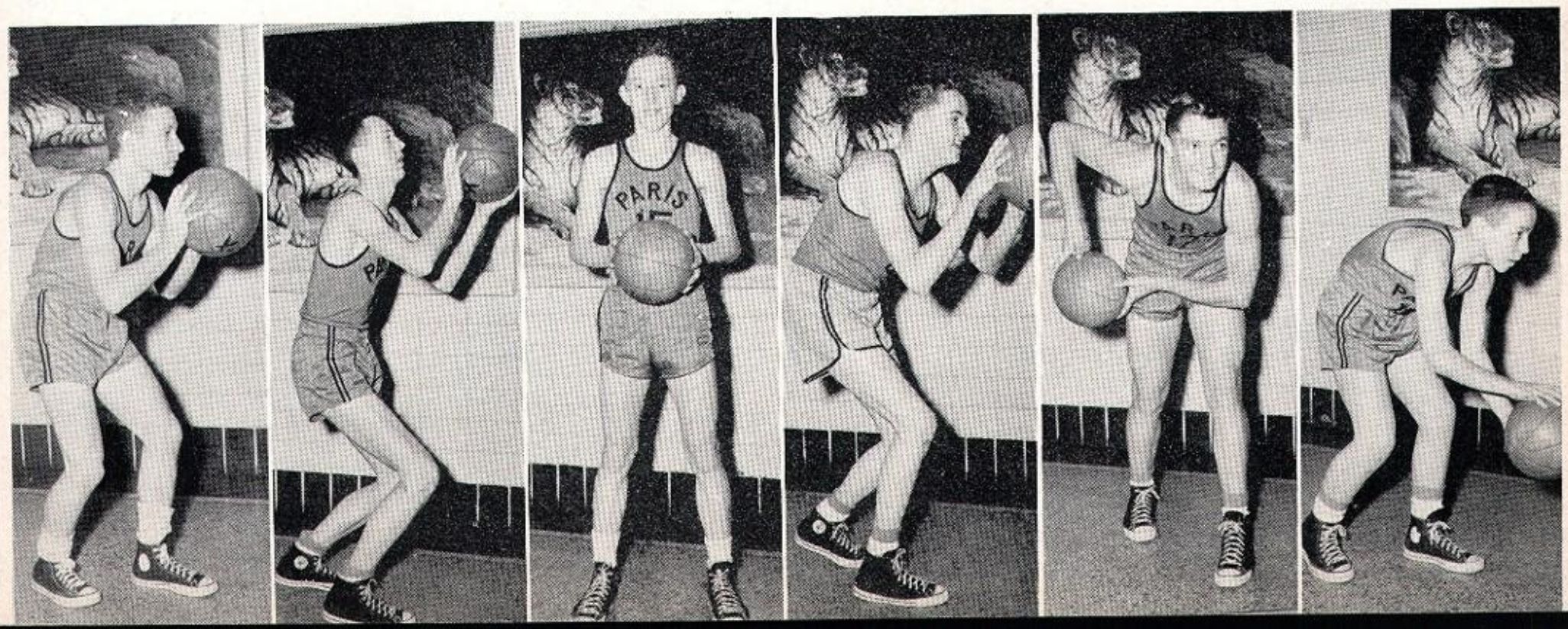
GENE SMITHSON
Freshman Guard

TONY COCHRAN
Freshman Forward

ALLAN NEWMAN
Freshman Forward

BEN HARMON
Freshman Center

BILL STOTTS
Freshman Guard



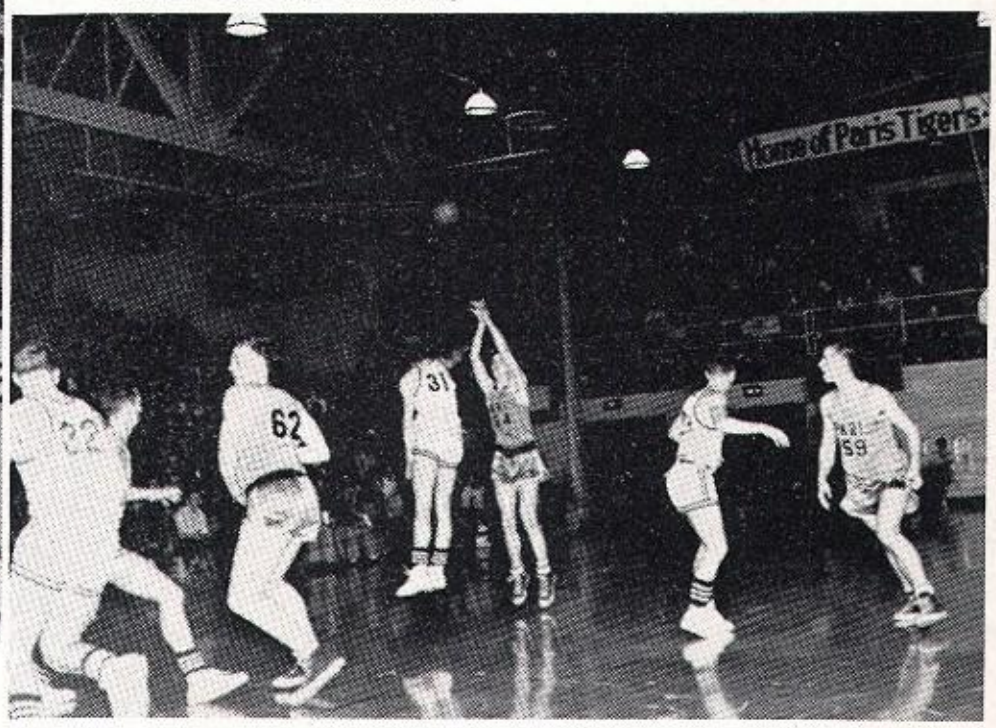
Bill Saiter grabs a rebound in the thrilling Bridgeport game. Denny Collier and Ezra Smithson are the two other Paris boys in on the play.

FROM THE BLEACHERS

At work on the bench.

John Bunnell heaves a long one for the Tigers as Denny Collier and Ezra Smithson start toward the basket for the rebound.

Fans and officials are close observers.



The season's trophies and the squad.

Standing, left to right—W. Luth, E. Smithson, T. Kennedy, D. Collier, J. Bunnell, W. Saiter.
Kneeling—J. McCord, D. Bess, L. Goins, J. Ashley, Coach Eveland.

STUDENT COUNCIL

TALENT SHOW

The Student Council sponsored a Talent Show which was performed in the auditorium in the afternoon and evening of December 4, 1953.

David Kaiserman wins acclaim for "Rum Boogie."

The Charleston of Mother's day as interpreted by Janean Dawson and Marilyn Bess.

"I Didn't Know the Gun Was Loaded," explain Arnid and Ida Rose Forsythe.

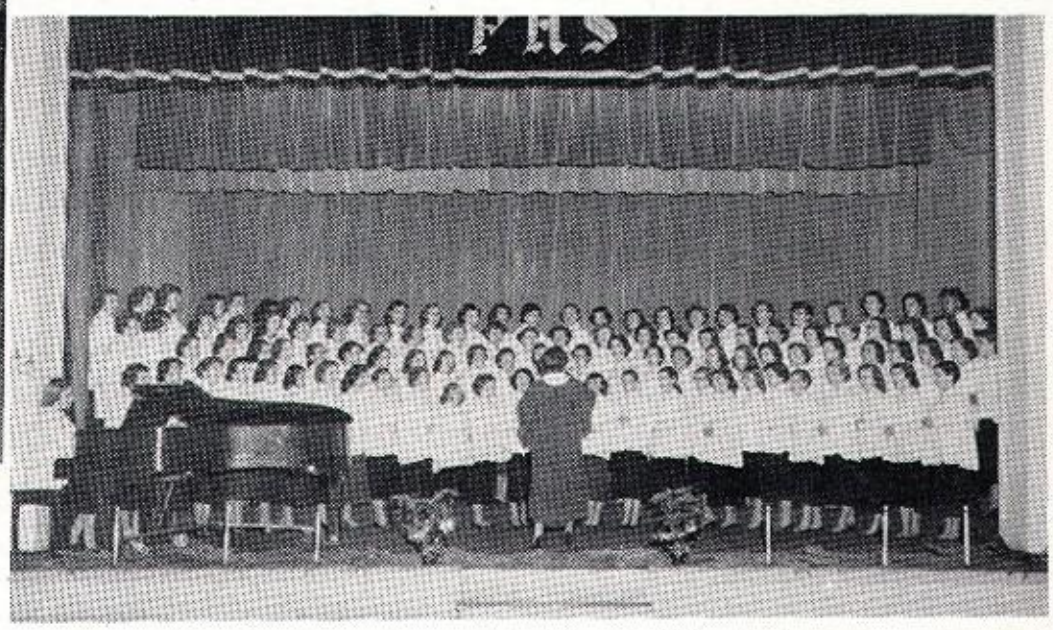
Carol Church is eloquent in a comedy skit (gestures courtesy of Gail Hagen).

Fugitives from the Imperial Ballet—Tom Zink and Herb Farnham in a pas a deux.

WINTER

Mr. Johnson's American history classes present a Quiz Show in which the student body audience participates.

Vocal Music students sing carols in the halls the week before Christmas.



Christmas hymns by the Treble Cleff.

The Mixed Chorus sings at the candlelight Vespers program.

WHIRL

Miss Hochstrasser's junior English class delivers a radio program dramatizing the life of Abraham Lincoln.

THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS
Presented by
The Dramatics Club February 23, 1954

"The Man in the Bowler Hat," directs a zany melodrama.

"If Men Played Cards As Women Do" we would find it hilarious!

You run into all kinds of people in the ladies' room of a "Night Club."

The Band livens things up at all basketball games.

Paris In

The Spring

Everett Hardy, Sarah Duzan, Tom Feutz, Frank Clinton, and Clifford Duck parade for a May Queen candidate. (She won!)

Some finishing touches.

Queen of the May Fete, Mary Jo Quinn, is crowned by Florence Stotts as Peggy Curl looks on.

With the theme of "T V Time," the twenty-seventh annual May Fete was presented to Queen Mary Jo Quinn and her court of senior girls.

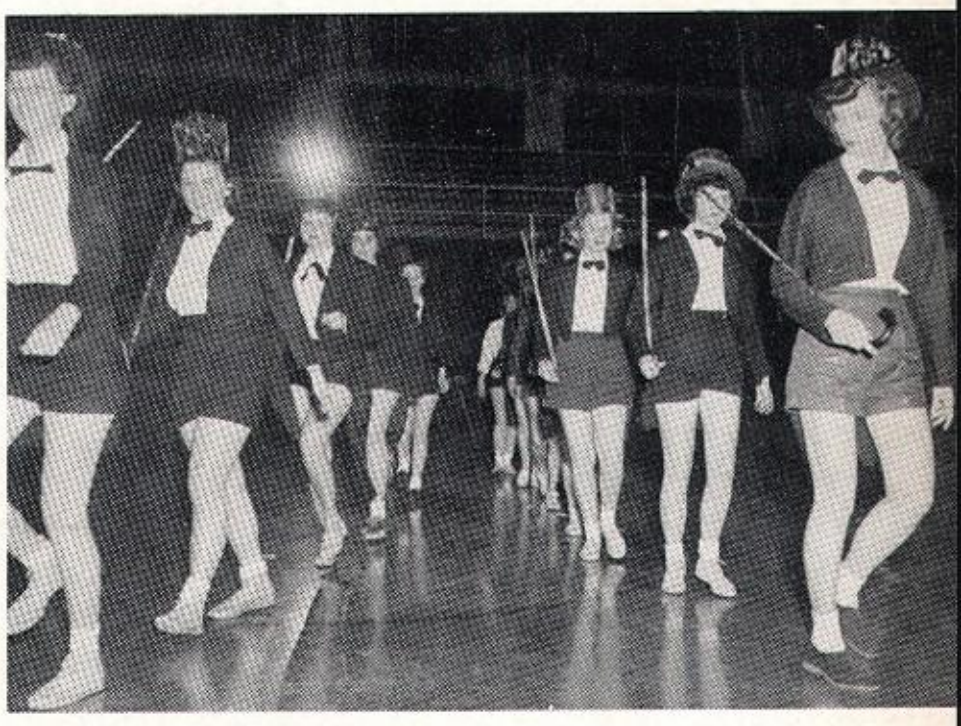
The dances represented video programs and were under the direction of Miss Doris Finke, assisted by Miss Estalene Meeker. First graders from Mayo School danced a May Pole Dance.

Senior girls preparing for their grand entrance.

Queen and Court are ready. Let the show proceed.

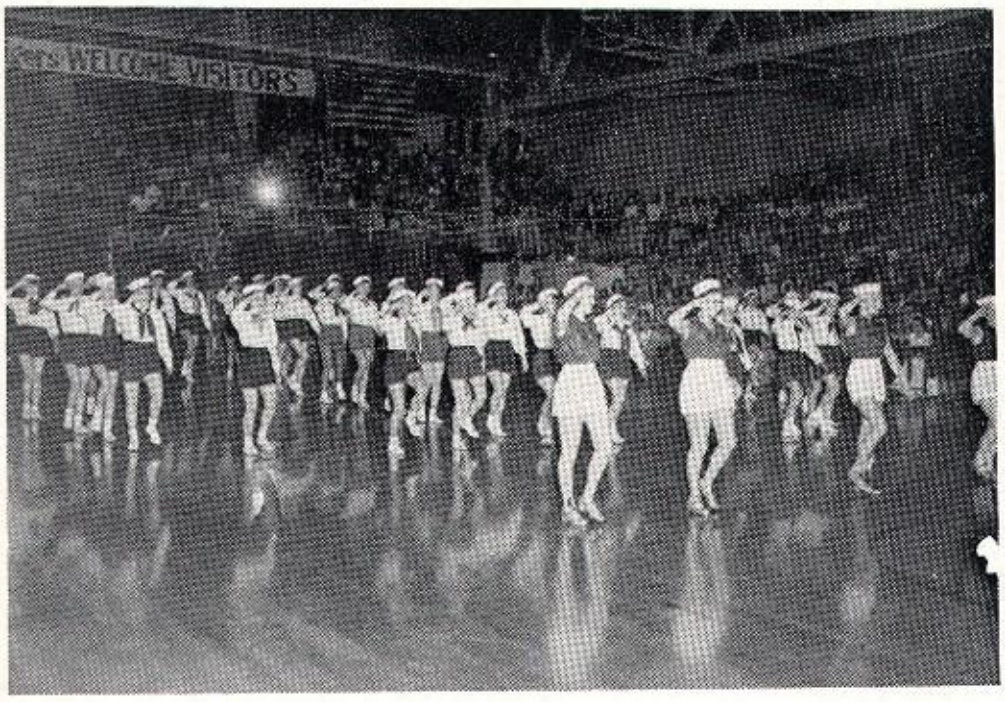
THE MAY FETE

Sandra Singer gets drenched by Emilie Redmon in "Singin' in the Rain."



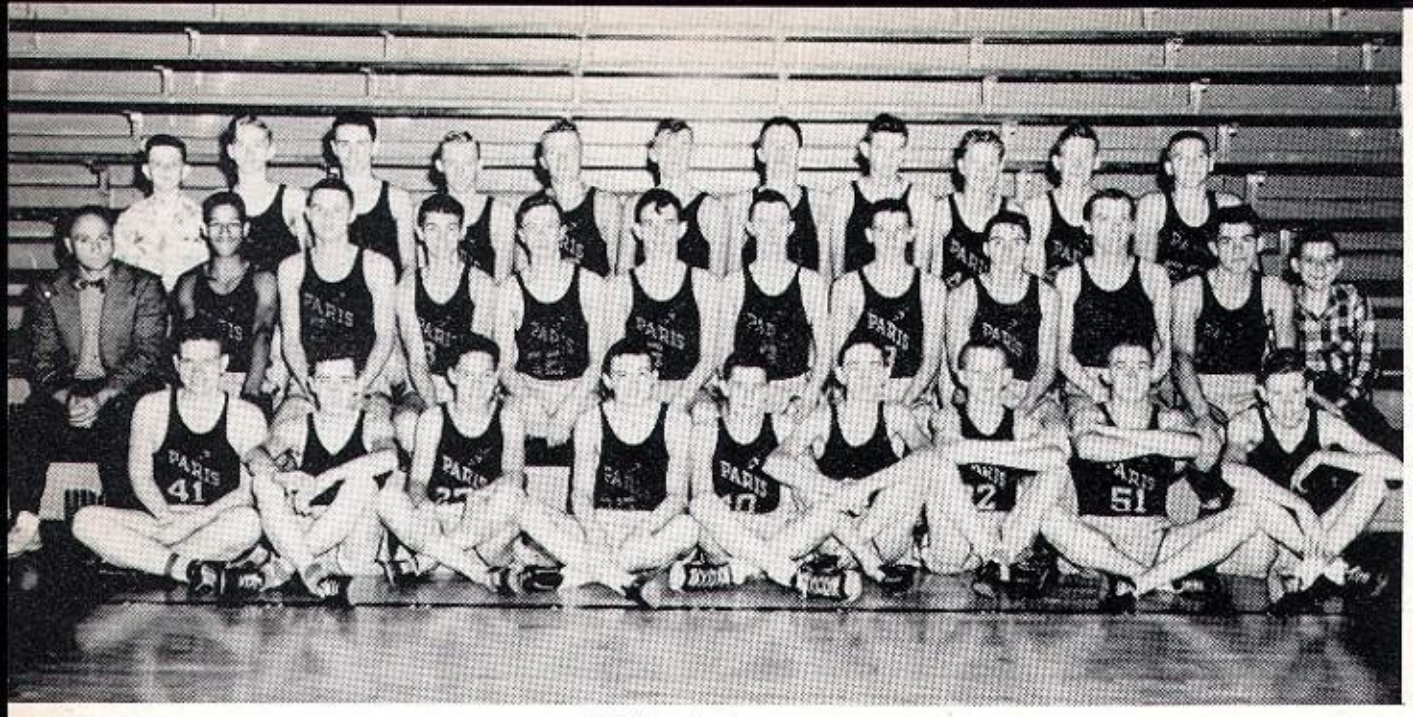
Girls strut to "Penny Whistlers' Blues."

Barbara Boswell spotlights "April in Portugal."



"Anchors Away" for Navy blue.

Flowers are presented to Miss Finke and Miss Meeker by G.A.A. officers Georganna Blume and Rachael Bizal. Tribute to a successful May Fete.



TRACK

1953 SQUAD

Top row, left to right—J. Gove, R. Boyer, D. Collier, C. Moore, D. Davis, P. Slaughter, J. Ogle, W. Saiter, W. Luth, E. Smithson, F. Sawlaw.
Second row—Coach Eveland, B. Goins, J. Bunnell, R. Basquette, C. Stuck, T. Kennedy, J. Mansfield, J. Runyan, M. Barr, E. Hardy, R. Pinnell, A. Varner, Mgr.
Bottom row—D. Knoepfel, J. Redmon, T. Reed, J. Sudduth, G. Roberts, R. Tague, R. Dennison, D. Bess, B. Brown.

1953 TRACK RECORD

Paris	86	Casey	32
Paris	16 1/4	Wiley	86 3/4
Paris	59 3/5	Marshall	35 2/5
Paris	51 2/5	Charleston	54 3/5
Paris	85	Cumberland	38
Paris	20th		Tiger Relays
Paris	8th		Indians Relays
Paris	2nd		E. I. Varsity
Paris	7th		Wabash Valley
Paris	5th		E. I. Fresh. & Soph.
Paris	6th		District
Paris	2nd		Little Tiger Relays

Mike Barr puts in some practice.

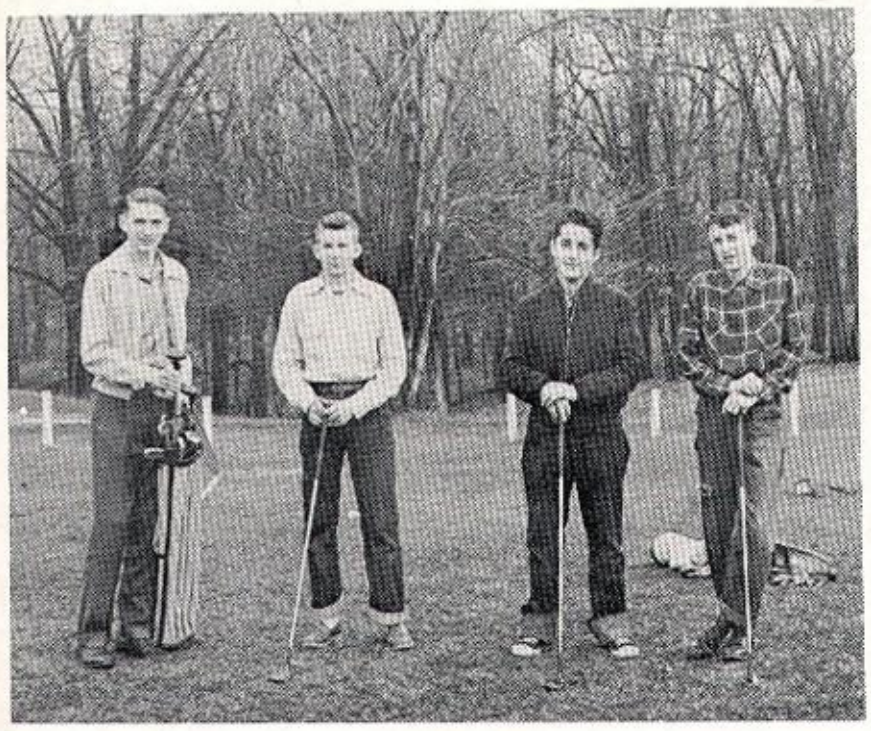
Bud Goins breaks the school record for the broad jump with a 21-7. He won a third in the State.

CROWNING OF THE RELAY QUEEN

Court—Judy Swanson, Beth Pinnell, Peggy Doak, Diane Zink crowning Queen Florence Stotts, Charlotte Carnahan, Georganna Blume, Emilie Redmon, Pat Saiter.

Paris plays host at the Tiger Relays.

GOLF



On the field—Herbert Farnham, Jerry Richey, Don Shields, Tom Geekie.

Mr. Jenkins presents awards to lettermen David Dillavou, Tom Geekie, Denny Grant, David Kaiserman, Roy Taylor (Captain).

1953 GOLF SCHEDULE

Paris	14½	Schlarman	½	Paris	12½ Schlarman 2½
Paris	11	Martinsville	4	Paris	13 Martinsville 2
Paris	1	Danville	14	Paris	0 Danville 15

May 1 & 2 Martinsville Invitational, 36-hole meet.

Paris 1st Place with 751:

Tom Geekie	85- 88
Denny Grant	87- 87
Roy Taylor	87- 90
David Dillavou	112-113

BASEBALL

1953 was the first year Paris played a full baseball schedule. There were three seniors on the squad. Eight returning lettermen and eight reserves will be on hand to improve the record next year.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Paris	7	Kansas	8
Paris	4	Westfield	9
Paris	4	Charleston	13
Paris	2	Brocton	3
Paris	1	Kansas	4
Paris	6	Kansas	9

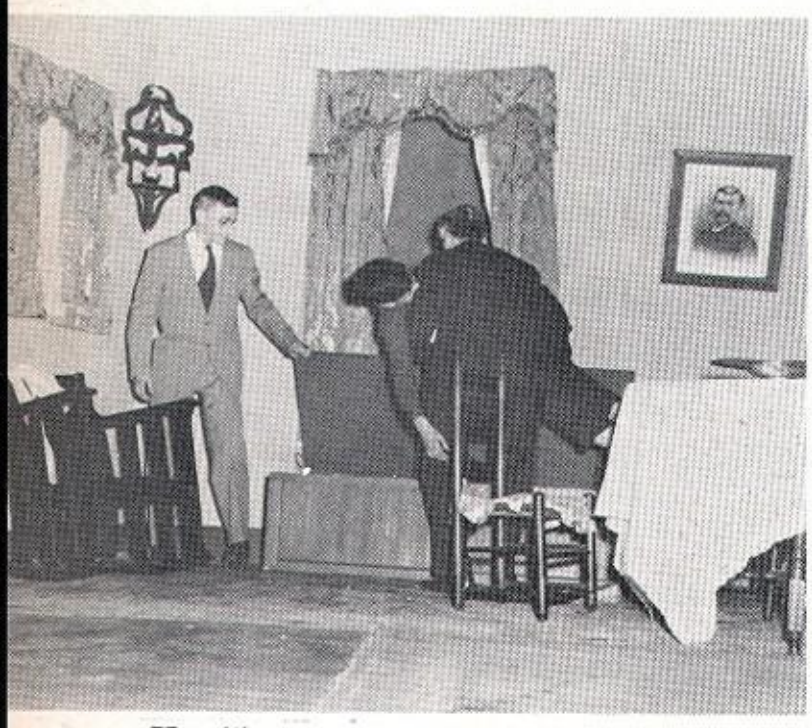
Kneeling, left to right—D. Holley, R. Harpering, L. Collier, P. Manley, R. Morecraft, J. Haase, R. Stanley, J. Drake, B. Slager.

Second row—M. Japinga, R. Dick, J. Rogers, J. Bottom, W. Sandilands, J. Bizal, R. Hess, F. Holley, J. Williams, J. Stanley.

Back row—M. Haase, D. Simpson, D. Heironimus, S. Christean, D. Briel, C. Culpepper, W. Sunkel, W. Piper, J. Skinner, and Coach Tuttle.

THE JUNIOR PLAY

Left to right—Tom Anderson, Joe Ashley, Bill Sandilands, Larry Smith, Tom Trogdon, Peggy Gher, Geraldine Day, Georganna Blume, John Stanley, Roland Dick, Terry Payne, Bill Thompson, Connie Burgess. *In front*—Jerry Gosnell, Raymond Inman.



Handling the "remains" with care.

The Junior Class presented the play "Arsenic and Old Lace" by Joseph Kesselring in the high school auditorium on April 17, 1953. In the gentile atmosphere of the Brewster home, two innocent, lovable old ladies try to do humanity a favor by disposing of lonely old men by means of elderberry wine.

The plot thickens and complications set in.

Back-stage developments.

SENIOR NIGHT

The Senior Class of 1953 said goodbye in the high school auditorium with "Senior Night," a series of skits under the direction of Mr. Charles Johnson, Senior Class sponsor.

Senior Class President Sam Doak hands over the Swing-Out Plaque to Junior Class President Mickey Harvey.

F.F.A. Hillbillies Leo Horton, George Hornbrook, Roy Walsh, Ralph Griffin, Allen Landes, Jim Hewitt.

Watch out, Marilyn, here comes Karl Grisham!

Roars of laughter greeted Luanne McHenry, Shirley Kroenung, Peggy Curl, Florence Stotts in the G.A.A. skit.

Jim Englum serves as Master of Ceremonies. He introduces the Senior Class officers (Sam Doak, Allen Landes, Jim Smitha, and Joe Mansfield) to read the Senior Class Will.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET-PROM

The 1953 Banquet-Prom with the theme "Deep Sea Fantasy" was given by the Junior Class under the direction of the Junior Class sponsors to honor the graduating Senior Class on Friday, May 15, 1953.

Peggy Curl, Queen of the 1953 Prom with Sam Doak, Senior Class president, and Mickey Harvey, Junior Class president.

Larry Smith serves as master of ceremonies at the Banquet.
Left to right—James Smitha, Allen Landes, Sam Doak, Larry Smith, Mickey Harvey, Tony Meeks, and Bernie Halloran.

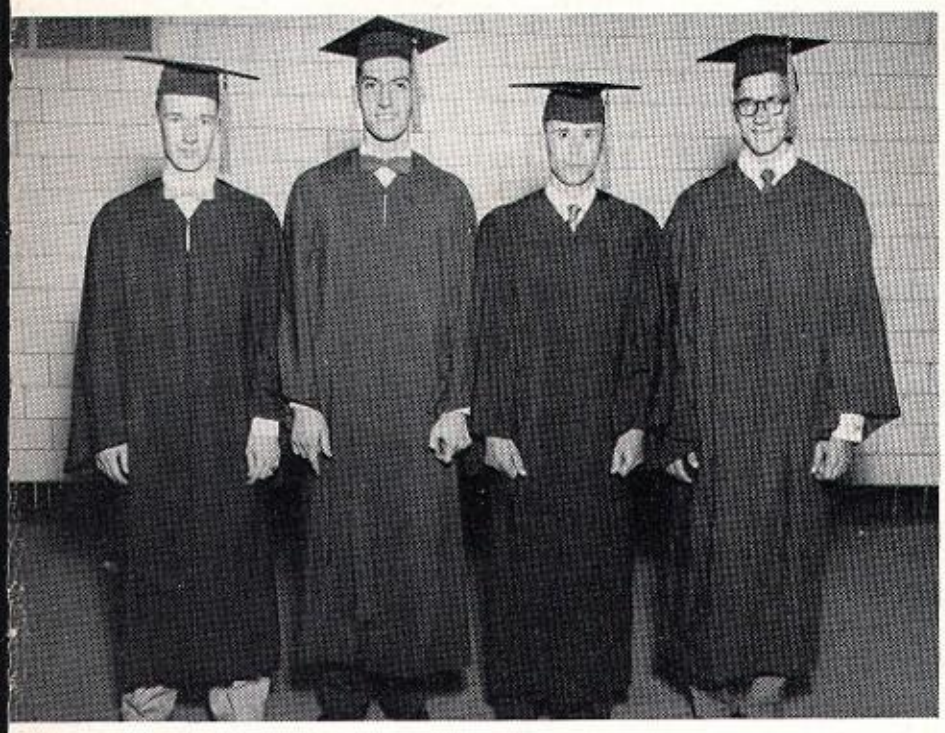
On the following night the gymnasium is transformed into a Neptune fantasia.

David Kaiserman, Peggy Gher, Geraldine Day, and John Stanley lend a hand to the decorations.

1953
COMMENCEMENT

The 79th Annual Commencement took place in the gymnasium on May 27, 1953. There were 110 graduates.

Entry of the Graduates.



Senior Class officers Joe Mansfield, James Smitha, Allen Landes, and Sam Doak made addresses on the subject "Challenges to the Youth of 1953."

Mr. Jenkins awards the Helen Mar McKinlay scholarship to Lynn Flairty.

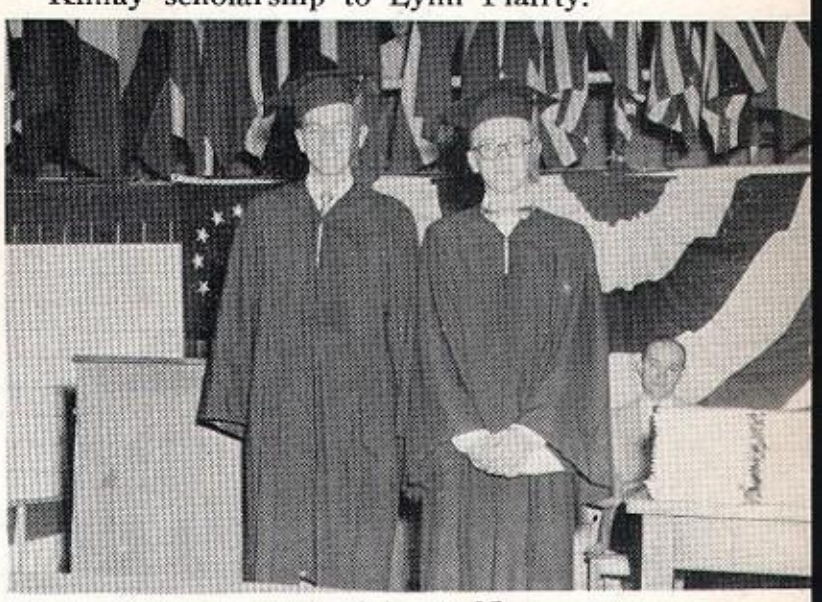
Julia Owens, Charles Jones, and Sarah Duzan received teachers' college scholarships.

"Final Honors" went to the upper 10% of the graduating class.

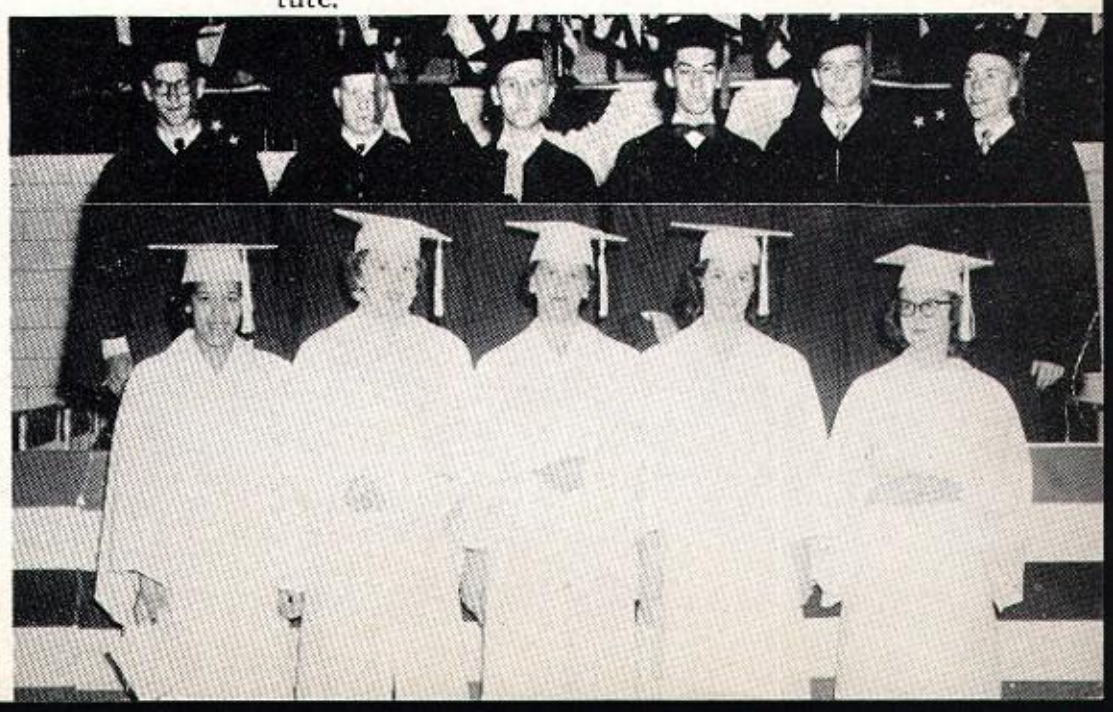
Front row, left to right—Julia Owens, Eleanor Hinds, Gertrude Culpepper, Peggy Curl, Doris Mann, (Diane Zink absent).

Back row—Sam Doak, Charlie Bill Jones, Richard Krumpeck, Jim Smitha, Don Simpson, and John Bizal.

The last three also received special athletics awards as the ranking three lettermen.



Don Simpson and Richard Newgent received scholarships to Rose Polytechnic Institute.



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